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The Republicans Are Anxious for an Early Adjournment.

BUT THE DEMOCRATS ARE NOT Smator Gorman Proposes To Hold Congress Together

WITH AFTER THE ST. LOUIS CONVENTION

A Letter from Senator Jones in Regard to a Published Report. Washington Gossip.

Washington, April 17 .- (Special.) - Senator Corman practically put the republicans of the senate on notice this morning that of congress.

The republican leaders see rocks ahead pon which their craft may be wrecked, and they want to adjourn within three weeks. Gorman prefers to keep them here and witness their efforts to steer clear of the rocks. He proposes to keep congress in session until after the St. Louis convention He thinks the republican party may not have the walk over in the election its lead-

A Statement from Senator Jones.

attention of Senator J. K. Jones of Arkansas, having been called to an ap-parent conflict of misunderstanding of what he said about possible delegates at large from different states to the national democratic convention, Senator Jone furnished me tonight the following state ent of his attitude in the matter, for use over his own signature. He writes:
"My attention having been called to the fact that I have been quoted as the spokesman of a committee which, it is alleged, is selecting delegations from the south to the national convention at Chica-

go, I do not hesitate to say that I am acting in no such capacity and have made no statement from which the inference could be made that I had named four men-er any other number, who are to be se lected as delegates at large from Georgia expressed the hope that such men as Judge Crisp, Senator Bacon or men of national prominence would be selected from Geor-gia and men of like character from other states. But as for suggesting or conducting an organized movement to have the selected in Washington there is no truth in it

"JAMES K. JONES." Vandiver's Nomination Signed. Judge Maddox was informed today tha the president signed the nomination of John Vandiver as Postmaster at Rome and that it would probably be sent to the senate

orrow. Both Georgia senators signed Vandiver's indorsement and they will have him confirmed at once. E. W. B.

THE DAY IN THE SENATE. Mr. Hill Resumes, But Does Not Finish-An Adjournment Discussed.

Washington, April 17.-When Mr. Hill resumed his speech, began yesterday, this afternoon at 2 o'clock on the bond investigation resolution the senate chamber was

The chamber soon filled up, however in anticipation of Mr. Hill's speech. The galleries were well filled despite the exces-

His speech was against the passage of the Peffer resolution to investigate the bond sales of the present administration, Mr. Hill saved his strength for a protracted fight by having read at the clerk's desk the various laws relative to the redemption of greenbacks and quotations from sident Cleveland's messages on the

He still has much material in reserve and may continue for two or three days especially if he secures the assistance he did this afternoon.

In the diplomatic gallery there were several representatives of that corps. Mr. Hill has evidently propared for a slege.
On his desk lay a printed copy of the report of the recent sugar trust investigation, various bound copies of the record and other documents relating to senatorial investigations. Prominent among the books was a copy of Senator Sherman's

As Mr. Hill was about to yield to a mo ion for an executive session Mr. Gear orted the bill for the refunding of the sciffe bond aided railroads. This led to altercation between Mr. Gear, chairman of the committee, and Mr. Allen, senator from Nebraska, in which warm words were used by both. Mr. Gear's statements were characterized by Mr. Allen as false. Mr. Allen was called to order and his words were read from the clerk's desk, after which he was permitted to proceed in order. Mr. Allen's subse-quent ren. rks consisted of a tribute to the recent candidate of his party for the presidency, James B. Weaver, and a de-fense of the principles of the party which Mr. Gear had attacked.

Mr. Hoar, who expects to leave the city immediately, spoke briefly in favor of the Peffer investigation resolution and criti-cised the remarks of Mr. Hill as being more in place on the stump than in the

The senate then, after a short executive session, adjourned over at 5:30 o'clock until Monday next.

The proposition to adjourn over tomor row was antagonized by Mr. Chandler and others, and the vote upon it was 35 to 28. Earlier in the day, upon a proposition to postpone action on a resolution di-recting the opening up of a Utah Indian reservation, the republicans had protested against the dilatoriness of the senate. Mr. Aldrich remarked that there must be some purpose back of the constant at-tempts to delay business, declaring that

if there was, it might as well be developed now as at any other time.

Mr. Gorman disclaimed any such purpose. The democratic side of the chamber had surrendered, he said, as gracefully as possible to the "combine" on the other side and had looked forward to the expediting of business. There had been no delay on this side; no obstruction on any matter. But democratic senators had noticed with wonder that the distinguished senator from Rhode Island and his colleagues had not marked out some well-defined programme to be followed. Democratic senators, he added, were ready to agree to any proper programme for the conduct of business.

Mr. Aldrich said it was well known that the other party hed a majority in the senate. And as to a programme he would propose one now. That was to dispose of all matters now pending unfinished, so that the country might be relieved, if that was the proper word, of a further session of congress.

Mr. Gorman added that there would be if there was, it might as well be developed

of congress.

Mr. Gorman added that there would be no obstruction of legislation on the democratic side; neither would any undue

THE HOUSE ROUTINE.

Members Declare That the Government Is a Robber. Washington, April 17.—This was an old-fashioned field day in the house, with radical variation. It was private bill day, under the rule, when the bills to pay claims arising out of the war, which in the past afforded in forded opportunity and excuse for fighting battles of the rebellion over again, were

nder consideration.
Today, however, the contest was waged largely by republican members who advo-cated the payment of the bills reported by the committee on war claims, and thos who favored postponing, and some of the statements were startling in their bitter-

Mr. Mahon, of Pennsylvania, chairman o committee, was asked by Mr. Dingley blican, of Maine, if the committee was satisfied of the justice and correctness of a claim for the payment of which a bill had been reported. Replying, Mr. Mahon reviewed the action of congress on these claims, their reference to the court of the facts, and passionately declared tha congress either ought to pay the claims recommended by the court or abolish the court, so that the people might know what to expect. He declared that the government was a great robber of its private citizens, and asserted that he would sooner have a pauper owe him a thousand than to be a creditor of the United States

ment for that amount.
Walker, republican, of Massachu setts, was almost violent in his denuncia tion of the policy which proscribed the payment of these claims. Dramatically he leclared that no robber born on the Rhine ever equaled the government of the United States in robbery of honest creditors. He attacked the leaders of the house, charging them with purposely preventing the consideration of bills for the payment of just claims, asserting that extraordinary rulings of the chair, in committee of the whole were resorted to to aid in carrying out that

Mr. McCall, republican, of Tennessee, and Mr. McCail, republican, of Tennassee, and Mr. Evans, republican, of Kentucky, appealed to the house to pay the claims of loyal men from the south.

Mr. Ray, republican, of New York, charg-

ed that to enter upon the payment of them would compel the next administration to issue bonds from beginning to close. Messrs. Dockery, of Missouri, and Grosvenor, of Ohio, made political speeches in connection with their common position to the payment of the claims, the former asthe payment of the claims, the former asserting that republican legislation in the past, and the latter that democratic adpast, and the latter that democratic administration was responsible for the present condition of the treasury. The net result of the day's discussion was the rejection of one bill and the passage of another.

Mr. Pickler, republican, of South Dakota, reported the general pension bill prepared by the committee on invalid pens.ons and it was recommitted.

by the committee on invalid pensions and it was recommitted.

At 4:50 o'clock the house took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session to be for the consideration of private pension bills.

At the evening session of the house nine pension bills were considered and ordered to be reported to the house with favorable recommendation. A large part of the time was spent upon the bill granting a pension of \$75 a month to the widow of Brigadier General Fred Vanderveer, who was originally colonel of the Thirty-fifth Ohio Volunteer Infantry. The amount of the pension was reduced to \$50 a month, and efforts were made to make it \$30, a proposition which received considerable support among republican members.

A GREAT PLUNGER DEAD.

Pardridge, Who Handled Wheat Reck-

lessly, Passes Away. Chicago, April 17 .- Ed Pardridge, the wheat speculator, who has been ill for several weeks with Bright's disease, died ket about ten years ago and is reported since that time. He left a fortune of a least a million dollars.

John Stetson Dead. Boston, April 18 .- John Stetson, the wel known theatrical manager, died shortly after 1 o'clock this, Saturday, morning.

Internal Revenue Receipts Increasing. Washington, April 17. The internal revenue receipts for the nine months of the current fiscal year from official figures made public today by Commissioner Miller aggregated \$111,179,075, an increase over the corresponding months of 1895 of \$183,597, exclusively derived from tobacco and beer The principal items of revenue were: Spirits, \$61,525,454, a decrease of \$2,377,415; tobac-18, \$11,32,391, a decrease of \$2,377,415; fobac-co, \$23,257,507, an increase of \$1,151,189; fer-mented liquors, \$24,659,737, an increase of \$1,758,071; oleomargarine, \$996,329, a decrease of \$188,892, and miscellaneous, \$340,046, a decrease of \$118,987.

Lieutenant Peary on Waiting Orders. Washington, April 17.—The navy department is making a great mystery over its action in detaching Civil Engineer R. E. Peary from the Brooklyn navy yard and placing him on waiting orders. It was said yesterday that the order had been issued at Lieutenant Peary's request and that he gave no reason in his application. To owever, it was learned that Lieutenant Peary contemplated another exploring expedition and had so informed the department, but for some reason it was desired to keep this information secret.

Washington, June 17.—The court of ap-peals this morning granted the writ of error asked for in the case of Broker Elverton R. Chapman, the recalcitrant sugar ss, and admitted the defendant to bail

Watching Over Treatmen Shaz.

Washington, April 17.—The case of Rev.
A. J. Diaz, an American citizen, who was reported as being arrested at Havana, came before the department of state today. The department immediately cabled the consul general at Havana to take the usual steps for his protection and for a fair trial.

The Treasury Gold Reserve. Washington, April 17.—The treasury gold reserve at the close of business today stood at \$126.562,258. The withdrawals for the day

Firemen Stopped a Suicide.

Chicago. April 17.-A small fire in the kitchen of the Cifton house today accidentally prevented a suicide. While the firemen were searching the rooms to make ure all of the inmates had escaped the ound J. Huested, of Farm Ridge, Ill., in found J. Huested, of Farm Kidge, Ill., in a tightly closed room with the gas turned on and Huested nearly suffocated. He had left a letter announcing his intention to commit suicide. He was sent to the hos-pital and will recover.

Springfield, Mass., April 17.-In a tene-ment house fire at Turner's Falls, Mass., at 5 o'clock this morning, five French children were suffocated. Property loss

A Recruit for the Southern. Staunton, Va., April 17.—The Daily Times, a new morning paper, will begin profication here tomorrow and will publish the news dispetches of the Southern Associated Press. THEY HAVE NO ONE TO LEAD THEM

DEFEAT SEEMS INEVITABLE

They Are Trying To Get Hopkins To Take the Lead

IN THE FIGHT AGAINST ALTGELD AND SILVER

But Hopkins Hesitates as He Sees but Little Chance To Prevent the Success of Free Coinage. Chicago, April 17 .- (Special.)-For two

days Chicago has been deeply stirred

in the direction of preparing for the inevitable clash of the free coinage forces and the followers of the gold standard. Governor Altgeld reached Chicago Thursday and left tonight. During that time he has refused to be interviewed. He has been in constant consultation with the free coinage leaders of Cook county and the result of these conferences is that it is announced from an official mouthpiece that Governor Altgeld will consent to make the race for governor on a free coinage platform only. In the meantime, despite the fact that he has not personally authorized the use of his name, every democratic county convention has declared for him for governor. The "sound money" men have held three conferences within the

past ten days, two of them this week. Every effort is being made by them to get ex-Mayor Hopkins to lead the fight against Altgeld, but Hopkins ap to now has refused all advances and has remained away from every meeting of the single standard

"I am for Altgeld," he says, "against everybody, but I am opposed to his finan-

Whitney May Take a Hand. It is stated here that William C. Whitney, of New York, who is exceedingly friendly with Hopkins, has been urged to use his influence with Hopkins, and he may

visit Chicago within a few days.

The free coinage men have practically completed all campaign arrangements, while the gold standard people are without leader. The situation at present points o an overwhelming victory for free coinage, unless trickery is injected into what has begun as a fair fight. A man very close to Altgeld said today:

"There is no doubt that the democracy of this state is with Governor Altgeld to a man, and that it will fight the battle on a free coinage platform. The gold men will run primary tickets in Cook county, headed by Altgeld but with the delegates instruct-

ed for gold." The Evening Post, a gold standard paper,

"The sound money democrats' fights against free coinage will be made in Chicago. Party leaders here now realize fully that unless heroic remedies are resorted to at 11:30 o'clock this morning. Mr. Par- the machine controlled by Governor Altgeld dridge first came into prominence on the and Secretary Hinrichsen will stampede the convention for free silver and secure the election of a free coinage delegation to have made and lost several fortunes to the national convention. With logic and reason on their side, the sound money men are at present in need of a political leader who will be able to make a showing at the primaries, where the battle will be really fought, against the silver managers, who make politics a business. The committee would like to see ex-Mayor Hepkins adopt their cause and lead the fight against the Altgeld-Hinrichsen-Gahan machine and it is known that he is strongly tempted to acede to their wishes, but sill ne negitates.

Gold Men in Caucus. Chicago, April 17.-A caucus of demo-cratic leaders in Chicago to "take such steps as will prevent a declaration in favor of free coinage at the coming stat convention" was held tonight at the Pal prominent in state, city and ward politic attended.

H. C. Robbins, president of the "Sound Money" League of Illinois, presided. It was distinctively a Cleveland administration meeting. Ex-Mayor Hopkins, who s credited with being the leader of the Altgeld free silver faction in state politics and other Altgeld democrats, were absent presumably because of the state machine' pposition to the gold standard. decided to organize the city by wards and attempt to carry the county convention and to carry the fight into the state convention chosen chairman.

SILVER IN FLORIDA.

The Hon. James E. Alexander Opens His Campaign for Congress. DeLeon Springs, Volusia County, Fla., April 17.—(Special.)—The Hon. James E.

Alexander has opened his campaign for the nomination of the democratic party for congress from this district. In a speech delivered here he gave strong nts in favor of the constitutional right of silver to free access to the mints upon an equality with gold, and for the right of the people to protection from the

trusts and monopolies at the hands of the United States government. He had an im-mense audience, who listened to him with close attention, one which was representative in its character and gathered from al in sympthy with the speaker from the start finish. He was enthusiastically ap ded and was unanimously indorsed

"Our district," said Chairman Stegall, "has been betrayed by Congressman Coop-er, and proposes to send a man to congress the next time who can be relied upon as proof against the peculiar blandishments which some men find around the white

HOW IT WAS CIRCULATED. An Associated Press Reporter Sent Out

a Lying Dispatch.

Sedalia, Mo., April 17.—(Special.)—Great indignation is felt among Missouri democrats at false reports sent out to the effect that eighteen of the thirty-four delegates to the Chicago convention are opposed to

on the night of the convention by an Associated Press agent specially sent here. When informed that every delegate elected to go to Chicago was pledged to vote only when informed that every delegate elected to go to Chicago was pledged to vote only for a free colnage man for the presidential nominee, and every one of them is a pronounced free colnage man, this agent sim-

ply said that it would make a good news item to send out such a report, and so it was sent over the wires to the outside world to misrepresent Missouri's people THOSE SPARKLERS

Chairman Mailitt Resigns.

St. Louis, April 17.—Charles H. Maffitt has resigned as chairman of the democratic state committee, to take effect immediately. Maffitt denies that his resignation is due to the action of the Sedaila convention in refusing to ratify his domination as district delegate, but it is believed that his resignation was hastened by the trautment he received at the hands of the convention.

NEW ORLEANS POLITICAL FIGHT The Citizens' League Had a Large Parade Last Night.

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Chairman Maffitt Resigns.

and conditions.

New Orleans, April 17.—The Citizens' League, as an incident of their effort to obtain control of the city government, had magnificent parade tonight. The demonstration began about 8 o'clock and continued until after 11. Fully 15,000 men were in line, with all the accessions to

a political parade. The number of people who turned out to witness it almost rivaled

mardi gras.
Tomorrow night the regular democrats have their parade. Both sides express great confidence. Both have declared against the suffrage amendments as a means of capturing the negro vote and whichever succeeds in getting a majority of this vote Tuesday will win the victory.

COLORED REPUBLICANS

Indignant Over the Action of the Third Tennessee District.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 17 .- (Special) The colored republicans of Chattar.org night as an indignation meeting, the result of the action of the third congressionalistrict convention yesterday, which wholly ignored them. The white leaders of the Brown and Mciknley actions, however had their emissaries on hand and it is due to their agitations that the meeting adjourned without taking red out and de-flant action. Some of the most influential leaders among the regroes were present advocating an open holt, and through the machinations and the disorder created by the hired boodlers nothing was done. Th feeling against the republican party is, however, more deep seared than tas ever before been known.

A THREE-CORNERED FIGHT.

A Warm Contest To Take Place in Tennessee Today.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 17.—(Special.)—To-morrow the republicans of the first con-gressional district of Tennessee shold primaries to select a candidate for congress The fight is a three-cornered one be Anderson, Brownlaw and Milburne. charged that one of the three will bolt if he is beaten. A large amount of money ha dates, as the nomination is equal to an

South Carolinians to St. Louis Columbia, S. C., April 17.-The seventl ongressional district convention held toardson, of Sumter, who is for Reed, and W. A. Smith, of Irmo, who is uncommitted. day at St. Matthews, elected R. H. Rich

A HOT BED OF FLUNKEYS. The Household of Irand's Viceroy

Debated. London, April 17.-In the house of cor South Donegal, moved, on the submission of the Irish estimates, to reduce the amount of money granted for the ex-penses of the household of the viceroy of Ireland Mr. MacNeill characterized the viceroy's household as a ginger-bread court. Michael Davitt, member for South Mayo declared that the household was a hot-bed

During the discussion of the motion Gerald Balfour, chief secretary for Ireland, in-timated that if the Irish members were unanimous on the point of reducing the grant be would seriously consider the question of the retention of the viceroyalty.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor, member for the Scotland divison of Liverpool, the well-known Irath nationalist, declared that there was no such unamity.

TROOPS WILL GO TO CAPE COLONY

Great Britain Has Notified President Kruger of the Decision. Town, April 17.-Great Britain,

through the government of Cape Colony, has informed President Kruger, of the Transvaal, of her intention to send re-enpreements to the British troops in Cape sured that this action does not indicate any change in Great Britain's friendly policy toward the Transvaal, and that the information was given to him lest those wishing to prevent a lasting entente between the two countries should misrepresent Great Britain's motives in sending further troops

MORE TROOPS FOR CAPE TOWN.

Mr. Chamberlain Says That a Larger London, April 17 .- Mr. Chamberlain, sec retary of state for the colonies, in replying to a question by Sir Ellis Ashmead Bart-

lett, said that the government had decided to immediately replace the troops which were going into the interior of south Africa by a battalion of infantry and a body of unted men. The government, he said had also decided upon a permanent increase of the garrison at Cape Town. This step had been urged upon them by the military authorities, whose opinion was that the present garrison was inadequate for the defense of the dockyard and coaling sta-

Health of Cattle in England. London, April 17.-In the house of com-nons today Rt. Hon. Walter Long, president of the board of agriculture, in course of his reply to questions by Mr. R. Course of his reply to questions by Mr. R. J. Price, member for East Norfolk, admitted that two cases of pleuro-pneumonia discovered in cattle in Essex were traceable to animals brought from London, He had no Jouot, he said, that these cases were entirely of local origin; no live cattle had been imported for four years.

Want No More Dueling. Berlin, April 17 .- The center party has given notice that, in the reichstag tomor-rew, they will ask the government what steps have been taken or will be taken to curb the duelling nuisance. The em von Lucanus, chief of the emperor's civil cabinet, to Carlsruhe.

Corea Wants a Loan. Yokohama, April 17.-The Corean envoy

to Japan has gone to Russia under the authority of the king of Corea to negotiate a loan of \$8,000,000, giving the Corean proince of Hamsying as security,

An Old Floridian Killed. Gainesville, Fla., April 17.—Captain John .. Faison, aged seventy and a well known BURDEN LOST

Two of His Former Servants Have Been Pulled in London.

THEY HAD THE GEMS ON THEM Fitfy Thousand Dollars Worth of Jewelry Was Recovered.

THE MEN WILL BE BROUGHT BACK FOR TRIAL

Butler and a Second Man Appear To Have Been the Thieves.

New York, April 17.-Two men giving their names as Dunlop and Turner, deseribing themselves as gentlemen servants, were arraigned in Marlborough street police court, London, yesterday, charged with having in their possession twenty-eight diamonds, aggregating £3,600 in value, for the possession of which they were unable to give any satisfactory ac-

Dunlop said they got the diamonds from an old Jew in Halton garden. Turner said he was last employed by a gentleman in New York and had left that situation February last. The two men were remanded, for a week without bail.

Police Inspector Froest searched the lodg ings of the men and found jewelry worth \$20,000. It is believed the jewelry is the proceeds of the robbery of the residence of I. Townsend Burden, in New York, some

Two cablegrams received by Mr. Bur den today leave no doubt that the mystery surrounding the robbery is at last cleared up. The first was from J. S. Morgan & Co., his London bankers, and notified him that Robert Dunlop, formerly his butler, and William Turner, formerly his second man, had been arrested with the diamonds in their possession. Mr. Burden was requested to come to London at once. He will probably sail tomorrow.

Burden Thinks They Are the Ones. The second cable dispatch, practically to the same effect, was received from Mr. Buchanan Winthrop, of New York, a friend of Mr. Burden. To a reporter who called at his residence, Mr. Burden, after

reading the message aloud, said: "There now seems to be no doubt that the thieves are at last under arrest Although the messages do not state that all the diamonds have been recovered, I suppose, from the wording of the messages, that at least by far the greater part of them have. Dunlop was my butler and Turner was my second man. We have suspected Dunlop since the very day of the robbery, and his every move since then has

"Do you give credit for the arrest to the New York police?" Mr. Burden was asked. After hesitating a moment he replied; "Well, we all did some work." A few moments later he added:

"Yes, the New York police should have They Went Away in March. Dunlop ... it Mr. Burden's employ early in March and Turner a few days later. They sailed for Europe, it is said, on dif-

ferent steamers, very shortly after leaving Mr. Burden's employ. Since their arrival in England they have been closely watched by the Scotland Yard detectives. Up to noon Captain O'Brien had made no statement regarding the arrests and it is Dunlop and Turner indicted immediately so that he can secure extradition papers to bring the prisoners here for trial.

The question as to who will receive the reward of \$10,000 is now an interesting one.

Mr. Burden had not sufficient details of the European end of the case to discuss that matter when seen today. In the light of the recent developments and arrests Dunlop, the former butler, is certainly a man of remarkable nerve. The police find ing themselves completely baffled the morning after the robbery gave instruc-tions to the members of the Burden family under no circumstances to talk to news paper reporters. The same instructions were given to the servants. The member of the family complied with the instruc tions of the police, except a few brief ents from Mr. Burden regarding the

Dunlop Had Nerve. It was always Dunlop who opened the door in response to the rings of the re-porters, who besieged the house for days He was nearly six feet tall, smooth-shaven sandy hair, slightly bald, dropped his "hs' and clad in the livery of the Burdens was typical English butler.

His reply to reporters who offered cards to be taken to members of the family was always: "I have been instructed to say there i nothing new today. Mr. Burden cannot

see you. Then frequently Dunlop in reply to questions would give bits of information with an air of great importance. "Mr. Burden does not suspect any of hi ervants," was the statement he made to a reporter the morning after the robbery and later in the day, when a report had been circulated that one of the servants porter, with the utmost sang froid:

"The detectives have again questioned to cast suspicion on any of them Dunlop Tries To Create a False Trail. It was also Dunlop who gave to the reporter the fact that the police were trying o find a discharged maid of Mrs. Bur den's, who, he said, had visited the house on the afternoon preceding the robbery. In all of the interviews with reporter Dunlop did not seem the least bit nervous Inquiries made of the members of the Burden family regarding Dunlop at the time of the robbery were replied to with the information that he had been employed by the family for some time and had been highly recommended by a prominent New York family.

Recorder Goff in general sessions court this afternoon issued a warrant for the arrest of Dunlop and Turner for stealing over \$50,000 worth of jewelry.

Warrants Were Sworn Out Mr. Burden appeared before the recorder and told what evidence he had against the two men. The district attorney tele raphed to Governor Morton, asking him to telegraph to the secretary of state, re-questing the latter to instruct Ambassador

Bayard to ask the London police to hold

two men. This has all been done and Minister Bayard has telegraphed that the British authorities have property valued at \$58,280 and will hold the men. Captain O'Brien, at the detective bureau at police headquarters tonight officially confirmed the news of the arrest of the Burden diamond thieves by the London

MISS BARTON WANTS MONEY. The Red Cross Society Is Doing Good

Work-Help Is Needed. New York, April 17.-Miss Clara Barton, president of the Red Cross Society, cabled the national relief committee as follows: "Constantinople.-Trask, New York: Hub bell, 'n charge of the Red Cross relief expedition at Marash, reports April 13th that three thousand are sick of typhus, including the English consul.

"On the 15th he reports: 'Sickness at Zeitoun increasing, with forty to fifty deaths daily. Great and immediate nee for funds.' General condition for relief work favorable. BARTON."

The national Armenian relief committee in giving out the dispatch from Miss Bar-ton, cannot refrain from remirding the American people of all classes and sections that Miss Barton undertook this sacred

that Miss Barton undertook this sacred work of relief only in response to the urgent request of the public and the assurances that the work would be generously maintained to the end.

Not one-fifth of the \$500,000 needed to carry on the relief work on the smallest calculation made has yet been given, and yet the need and facilities for carrying on the relief are greater now than ever. It fact, unless the people are aided the various agencies will be practically thrown away and thousands will inevitably perish of pestilence and starvation.

The Christianity and honor of the American people is at stake, as well as the fives of the survivors of the massacres, most of whom are relpless and innocent women and children. It should be remembered that by showing a lively interest in the sufferers, by liberally supporting the agencies at work for their relief is the best and most efficient way of securing for them more considerate treatment at the hands of the Turkish government.

Individuals, churches and clubs should at once send large gifts to Brown Bros. & Co., 50 Wall street New York, who are the authorized treasurers.

SPENCER TRASK.

Chairman Executive Committee.

CAN RACE IN NEW YORK. The New York Supreme Court Hands

Down a Decision. New York, April 17.-According to a de the supreme court today, horse racing can conducted in this state, at least until the court of appeals decides otherwise. The lecision reaffirms the constitutionality of the act known as the Percy-Gray racing

The appeal was taken on the decision of Justice Ingraham releasing Joseph Sturgis and Colonel Lawrence from custody. While conducting, October 24, 1895, a meeting at Morris park, they were arrested under a warrant issued by Magistrate Crane. The complainant was George T. Henry, of Brooklyn, who swore that the racing

was conducted in violation of the law.

Lawrence was arraigned in Jefferson Market police court and claimed that his association was being run under the Percy-Gray racing law. Again it was said that the Percy-Gray racing law was unconstituted. Gray racing law. Again it was said that the Percy-Gray racing law was unconstitutional and Magistrate Crane took that view of the matter and held Lawrence and Sturgis for trial at the general session. The cases were taken under habeas corpus proceedings to Justice Ingraham, in the special term of the supreme court, who declared the Percy-Gray racing law constitutional and ordered their discharge.

An appeal was taken to the appellate division of the supreme court and the decision handed down today confirmed the constitutionality of the Percy-Gray law.

IT IS PROGRESSING.

But the Edison Fluoroscope Is Not Yet Perfect.

New York, April 17.—After weeks of patient work Edison has succeeded in his endeavor to see the bones in the body of a living person by means of the fluoroscope. Heretofore it has only been possi ble for scientists to use the X rays in photographing the bones. Mr. Edison's discovery makes it possible to avoid the long delay necessary to secure photographic plates and enables the sci-entist or surgeon to view the bones of a person standing before him fully clothed.

While the experiment was a success, Edison was not able to get clear, sharp out-lines of the bones in the chest, the ribs and back. The ribs were clearly indicated and about the edges showed plainly. The breastbone did not show, and the rays did not seem to pierce the chest as readily as they did the middle of the body. they did the middle of the body.

The tube used in the experiment was made of three small glass jars placed in a row, the upper ones being joined to the one in the center. The anode and cathode poles were in the outer balls and the X ray was in the center one. The tube was a powerful one, and when the proper vacuum was secured became fluoroscent.

SPANIARDS CLAIM VICTORIES.

Maceo Is Said To Be on the Run. Camps Destroyed. Havana, April 17.—Reports from columns of troops which have been operating for everal days against Maceo have been received. According to the reports, the troops destroyed a number of camps that the rebels had been compelled to abandon, and pursued portions of Maceo's troops

further west in the province of Pinar del The troops had one officer and live soldiers wounded and a corporal sunstruck. The rebel losses are unknown. Maceo is said to he near Lochuza, the scene of his recent defeat of the Spanish troops.

Colonel Elolu and the guerilia officers of San Domingo report that they have at-tacked groups of rebels and had hand-to-hand fights with them. The guerillas state that twenty-one of the insurgents were killed and a number wounded. The Span

Grant University Commencement. Chattanooga, Tenn., April 17 .- The comncement of U. S. Grant university, theo logical department, occurred tonight. The degrees were conferred by Chancellor Eishop J. W. Joyce. The following are the luates: J. H. Gillespie, North Carolina; Virginia; U. G. Paschal, Tennessee; L. A. Worless, Virginia: W. P. Weston, Alabama York, Tennessee, and Benjamin

Young, Wyoming. Put Into Brunswick Harbor. Brunswick, Ga., April 17 .- (Special.)-The American schooner Gertrude A. Bartlett Sprout, master, bound from St. Croix Cuba, for New York with a cargo of mahogany and lumber, put into Brunswick last night in distress. She will be serveyed and repaired temporarily here, her damage being slight.

A Mine Boss Killed Knoxville, Tenn., April 17.-Joseph Dicker a mine boss in the employ of the Knox-ville Iron Company, was instantly killed by falling slate at the Coal Creek mine today

The Warmest in Years. New York, April 17 .- This is the fifth conecutive hot day and it bids fair to show the warmest April 17th on the records of the weather bureau. At 5 o'clock this morning the thermometer registered 60 degrees. At noon it stood at 87 degrees.

He had gone into the mine to put a new

Slate Fell on Him.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 17.—(Special.) - Joseph Dyer, a mine boss for the Knoxville Iron Company, at Coal Creek, was instantly killed at 11 o'clock this morning by falling slate. Dyer had gone into the min

LEE'S COMING GLADLY WAITED

The Arrival of the New Minister Daily Expected at Havana.

SPANIARDS DO NOT WANT HIM

General Williams Suited Them Much Better.

NOW THE SEARCH LIGHT WILL BE TURNED ON

And the Many Harrowing Stories That Have Been Sent Out Will Be Shown Up.

Havana, April 15, via Tampa, Fla., April 7.-The appointment of General Fitzhugh ee to succeed Consul General Williams s understood by Americans here, as well as by the authorities at the palace, as an adroit way of sending a military commis-

When there was an intimation a fortnight ago that Mr. Cleveland contemplated ending a commission here to learn officially what was going on, the officials at Madrid said very plainly that no military or other commission would be accepted by them or permitted to pry into affairs in

Cuba. He May Get the Marble Heart. There is, therefore, some curiosity as to now General Lee will be received, and as to what facilities will be accorded him for learning what is transpiring outside of the

city of Havana. The Spanish officials with whom I have talked will not discuss any other mission he may be supposed to have. They have moved along so smoothly with Ramon O. Williams, who has devoted himself assiduously to viewing bills of lading and allowing the Americans in jail to rot there, and others to be shot down and their property destroyed, that there may be trouble when a live American comes here to represent

General Lee Will Be Welcomed. It goes without saying that American res-

dents will welcome General Lee with open state of war exists in Cuba; that it is an army and not a mob of bandits who are winning battles against the troops of Spain; that life is respected on one side and prisoners set free, while on the other a war of extermination against all Cubans is waged, prisoners of war are shot, unarmed peasants are shot and cut to pieces, and political suspects are imprisoned by thou-

Will Be Shown Spain's Rough Hand. He will learn that Spain is powerless to protect American property throughout the island; that millions of dollars worth of property belonging to our citizens has been destroyed, and the prospect of recompense

is as shadowy as castles in Spain. He will hear of Americans who have been shot down by Spanish troops, and will find others imprisoned in dungsons with no

The Truth Will Be Shown He will learn, in short, what the newspaper readers of the United States have known for months, but of which the administration at Washington is still apparently officially ignorant. His eyes will be opened to that which is stirred the heart of mankind, for the ruth has been told by all the American correspordents here, with one exception. the news out in spite of the Spanish cen sor, and of all the barriers to truth that the narrow-mindedness of the middle ages has endeavored to erect awound the island

of Cuba. Correspondents have been thrown into Moro castle. Others have been expelled. Those who remain know not what fate awaits them. But the truth gets out just

Light Will Be Thrown On. If the appointment of General Lee means that the administration seeks light in view of all the misrepresentation that has gone, and is going through official channels it is a step in the right direction, and had it been taken months ago thousa als of lives would probably have been saved. Spain made one conquest of the island of Cuba and exterminated the native In-

ler to clean up the island on the same old lines. General Lee will discover for himself what is being done.

dians. The extreme Spaniards urge Wev-

A STEAM TUG BACK. The Childs, Which Was Chartered for a Trip, Returns to Key West. Key West, Fla., April 17 .- The steam tur George W. Childs, which it has been stated carried a fillbustering expedition from Cape Florida to Cuba, has returned to this port. Unitel States officials here deny that the Childs succeeded in landing an expedition in Cuba.

Followed by a Cutter. The Childs left here under suspicious nue cutter under instructions from Collec-tor Browne. The cutter was ordered to keep the Childs in sight, but whether the revenue vessel succeeded in doing so is not known. The cutter returned before the Childs got back. The Childs carried no erms from

at Cape Florida, but it is claimed in official circles that her purposes were frustrated. Wrongfully Accused. It is now claimed that the Childs rad no ntention of taking the Juan Monzon expe-

this port. She intended to get mun

lition on board. Monzon, it is said, left Key West with a few men and camped on one of the keys near this city. It is stated that Menzon's effort to reach Cuba was purely a private one, and not backed by the Cuban leaders in this country. Monzon is a very brave man, but a cripple, and the leaders fear he some days ago. There were about twenty five men in his party. It is alleged that the Pearl got ashore near Key Largo, where the party disembarked, but was subsequently taken off by another vessel.

THREE PRISONERS SHOT.

Military Execution in Havana Yes terday Morning. Havana, April 17.-Three prisoners, nam-

ed Borges, Hernandez and Baccalao, were shot at Cabanas fortress this morning. The edexecutions were public.

The doomed men knelt, facing the main rewall of the fortress with their backs toward the troops. All three fell forward at the first volley, but two of them were not instantly killed, and received single shots. The prisoners met death bravely,

Two of them were colored and one white

rived.

The county convention today passed resolutions warmly indorsing Mr. Simpeon's

A Pardon for Pearce. Governor Oates has issued a pardon for George A. Pearce, of Mobile, who pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzlement in the city court of that county last July and

was sentenced to three years in the penitentiar. This is the termination of one of the most celebrated habeas corpus cases on record. Pearce was the defaulting secretary of the Merchants and Planters' Insurance Company, of Mobile, and his extradition was fought through all the courts in Texas to the United States supreme court, which tribunal decided that he must return to Mobile to answer the indictment that had been found against him.

Supreme Court Taking a Rest.

The supreme court handed down no de-

cisions today, but adjourned until next Monday. It is probable that little business

will be done by the court until next Wednesday, on account of the state con-vention being held on Tuesday.

The Railroads Were Liberal.

The board of assessment of railway and telegraph companies, composed of the governor, the attorney general, the auditor, the

secretary of state and the treasurer ad

secretary of state and the treasurer, adjourned today after having completed its work. The assessments of the properties of all of the companies excepting the Southern were completed several days ago, but Vice President Andrews, of that company, was anxious to be on hand, and as an accommodation to him, today was set for the hearing of the Southern's case. No material changes in the Southern's casessment were made: in fact, the board is satisfied the companies are all disposed to pay taxes on equitable valuations. In some cases the assessments were voluntarily reduced by the board, the revenues from the properties not being commensurate with the values assessed. In one or two instances assessments were increased.

General Alabama News.

The republicans of Bibb county held a

nominating for representative Andrew

Bryson; for sheriff, N. L. Wilson, both of

sor, "Doc" Mahan: tax collector, Dr. Hill

The steam sawmills at Eutaw are enoly

ing a fine business.
Cullman county will let a contract May

Apples and peaches, feared to have been njured by frost, are now considered safe.
William Wiegand had a leg broken by a

Near Simcoe, in Cullman county, Emmett Loyd was painfully hurt by having his

arm caught in the machinery at a sawmi

Counterfeit silver dollars have been dis covered in circulation around Holmes Gap

Rates to the Convention.

Anniston, Ala., April 17.—(Special.)-Chairman John B. Knox, of the state ex

ecutive committee, has secured a round

roads for delegates to the democratic state convention, which meets in Montgomery

'Varsity Teams in Alabama.

Selma, Ala., April 17.—A special to The Daily News from Greensboro, Ala., says

that an immense crowd turned out this

n the series to be played between the pick

d nines from the University of Alabama

and the Southern university. Three games

evinced as to the result. The score was

bama, 3. Batteries, Lester, Abbot and Smith; Roberts and Hobson.

FENCE OR NO FENCE.

The Injunction To Be Heard on the

30th-Battle Abbey Excursion

Rome, Ga., April 17,-(Special.)-The fence

or no-fence question has stirred up much excitement and until the hearing of the in-

unction which is set for April 30th there

will be no stock allowed to run at large

Hon. Seaborn Wright is not allowed to

dvise any of his clients as fellow petition

and let matters take their natural legal

ourse.

In the meantime the three justices of the peace, Rice Howell and Selman, are not allowed to proceed in any of the cases until the injunction is heard and the future procedure settled definitely.

For Battle Abbey. The committee in charge of getting up the big excursion to Chickamauga May 6th for the benefit of the battle abbey has gone hard to work to make of it a grand

Cedartown, Summerville, LaFayette, Kingston, Calhoun, Carrollton and other towns will be asked to join the excursion and on next Thursday night a grand mass meeting will be held to work up interest in

the trip.

Hon. Mose Wright, Colonel W. S. Mc-Henry and Mr. Montgomery M. Folsom will address the meeting and the Hill City quartet will sing the war songs of the confederacy. Much interest is being manifested in the work.

Newsy Notes.

Mrs. Montgomery M. Folsom is slowly convalescing after a very long and dangerous illness.

This evening in the chapel of Shorter college the beautiful operetta "Twin Sisters" was given for the benefit of the college library and a large crowd was present.

ent.
Mrs. N. F. Wright, a very estimable and highly connected lady, was buried yesterday.
The district school proceeds netted \$75 each to the Young Men's library and Shorter college.

BOUGHT POISON FOR DOGS.

But After Locking Himself in His Boom, He Swallowed It Himself.
Raleigh, N. C., April 17.—John Tillman,
a distiller near Roxoboro, committed suicide by taking strychnine which he bought

from a druggist, saying he wanted it to kill dogs. He locked himself in a room,

took the poison and went to bed. His wife returning, found Tillman gasping and froth-ing at the mouth. There is an indictment in the federal court against him for the vio-

lation of the revenue laws and he had said he would die before he would go to

The populist state committee, without a dissenting vote, declined to accept the re-

publican proposition for fusion upon the basis of a division of the state officers

and a piedge to vote for a republican sena-tor. This ends all prospects of fusion, so far as the committees are concerned. The

state conventions of the two parties can of course review their action. There are broad hints tonight of revolt of a part of

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the populists against their committee's decision not to fuse with republicans. One
populist has made public treats of this sort.
The populist state committee adjourned
late this afternoon after appointing Senator Butler, Representative Shuford, W. A.
Guthrie and ex-Congressman W. H. Ketchen to prepare an address to the public.
The republicans only look for a split
among the populists and intended to take
advantage of it. The republican leaders
met here tonight.
Representative Pes
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to Chickamauga.

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are to be played and much

rip rate of one and a third fares on all

13th for four new bridges.

unaway team near Cullman

next Tuesday.

Southern

Bradstreet's and Dun's Weekly Review of Business.

THE SOUTH STILL MOVES ON Trade Has Shown a Good Comparison

with Last Year-Failures, Exports and Imports.

New York, April 17.-Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: "Favorable weather, except in some northwestern states, has stimulated a demand for seasonable merchandise, notably

light summer clothing. "On the whole, the week presents a distinctive gain. This is not so much apmore and Pittsburg, as in the central Mississippi river valley. At some northdise has declined, but at a number in the east it is unchanged, while southern cities most instances report business quiet, d in others less favorable. There is a go south: eastern cotton buyers are busier

and there is a demand for hardware, ma "The increased volume of business i spicuous west, at St. Louis, Chi Kansas City, Omaha, Milwaukee Memphis. Less gain is shown on the Pacific coast except in export lines. industrial lines there is not much

gain. There have been fair orders for shoes, but less is doing in that direction now and leather is weak. While prices for cottons and woolens are nominall unchanged, heavy stocks of the former hang over the market and good orders for the latter could probably be placed below nominal quotations. Silk manufacturers a scarcity of orders. Les big steel pool. Transactions in iron and prices, but on the basis of contracts held This indicates that a number of mills, at the time the pool wa formed, had contracted further ahead than "A marked evidence of better feeling

und in the steadiness and the upward ndency of many quotations for staples. "Additional evidence of an increasing

What Dun & Co. Says. New York, April 17 .- R. G. Dun & Co.

223 in the United States, against 241 las year, and 36 in Canada against 34 last year.
"The sudden change from sleighing to mid-summer heat has tested the prevalent idea that good weather only was needed to bring general improvement of business. Everywhere there has been more retai buying and in some branches better de resulted, but not as yet in most lines. There is no abstement of the almost universal disposition to deal with unusual conservatism and not to anticipate future wants, and this has been especially con-

'To many interested in iron ore and coke, steel biliets, bessemer pig and various forms of steel, it may be disappointing that the forming of combinations and fixing of prices have not started again the rush the better in tank plates at the east and sheets at Chicago. Bessemer pig and gray forge are a shade lower at Pittsburg, as is the average of all iron and steel quotations, and obstacles to some attempted combinations have not been yet overcome. The greatest consumers of lake ore have not hastened to make contracts at advanced prices and the output of coke is stationary. Tin plate makers are meeting and some propose to produce steel for their trade at plants of their own. Ussold stocks increased in March 18,388 tons more than was reported last week. At the west almost every town seems to want for some building and good orders have been placed for bars by implement and car makers.

"The boot and shoe makers have put some quotations a shade lower since leather has fallen below the average a year ago, and hides to the lowest average since November. 1894, having declined 3 per cent this week. The northern and northSeveral more woolen mills have thut down and some have reduced wages .0 per cent while many are working only half time, but recent advances by appruisers not only disclose heavy underveitations in the past, but tend to check futher imports. The demand for goods does not improve. Somewhat more demand for staples has been aroused by bargain rises, but the closing of more New York religions at time is urged as necessary. Partly because of low prices, which are again the lowest ever known, the volume of business represented by clearing house exchanges, 5.5 per cent larger than last year, is 20.4 per cent smaller than in April, 1893. "Railroad earnings for April thus far show a gain of only 2.6 per cent over last year." "March imports were \$3,912,455 smaller and exports \$10,396,107 larger than last year, and the excess of exports was \$9,-144,015."

THE PETITION DISMISSED

Which Nashville Filed Against the Louisville and Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., April 17,-(Special. nited States District Judge Clark today handed down a petition in which he missed the petition of the interstate com nission, filed against the Louis ville and Nashville railroad and seeking to compel that road to obey the orde effect that so long as the company charged should not charge exceeding \$1.50 per tor was that the low rate charged to Men reason of the fact that Memphis was sup plied with coal from Pittsburg and other Ohio river points at rates so low that the Louisville and Nashville company was ompelled to accept \$1.40 per ton or discon

The order was issued by the commission izens, filed about four years ago. Judge Clark dismussed the petition at the cost of . The question as to Nashville rate being a just one is no casa was argued at Chattanooga severa

MAJOR SPURR CONVICTED Of Falsely Certifying Checks of a Nashville Firm.

Nashville, Tenn., April 17 .- (Special.)-The jury in the case of Major N. A. Spurr this morning brought in a verdict of guilty as charged of falsely certifying checks of Dobbins & Dazey when they had no funds Spurr was president. This was the fourth trial of Major Spurr, the jury on the former trials being unable to agree

The government has expended over forty thousand dollars in these three trials. The penalty for the offense is either a fine of \$5,000 or five years in prison or both Attorneys for Mr. Spurr have filed ex-ceptions to Judge Severens's charge to the jury and entered a motion for a new

trial, which will be argued in Cincinnat next month. This is the last one of the criminal cases growing out of the wreck cution of funds. George A. Dazey has served two years for conspiracy to defraud the

ATTEMPTED HIS LIFE. Strange Actions of a Wofford College lican: fourth, R. M. Inez, populist. Student Spartanburg, S. C., April 17 .- (Sp Here Baker, a student at Wofford college, this place, between seventeen and eighteen years old, left here last Thursday evening. He told his friends that he was going to Greenville to spend Easter with friends and would return on Monday. He did not put in his appearance on Monday and some pariety was felt as to his Thereshouts.

anxiety was felt as to his whereabouts. News has just reached this place of his attempted suicide in a hotel at New Orleans. He shot himself and then tried to cut his throat. It is doubtful whether or not he will recover.

No one can imagine the cause of this shocking affair. He is a bright young student and is the son of prominent and wealthy people at Charleston, S. C. His father has for a long time conducted one of the largest businesses in the south.

cation and has a good shot at the commis sionership of agriculture and a chance a Simpson's friends are determined to lane

IT'S A DEADLOCK

north Alabama will recognize the justice of their claim and will rally to help them assist their favorite to get the place they covet for him. Of course everybody knows who Jim Simpson is. He is a newspaper man of splendid ability and has frescoed within the past fifteen years a good many thousands of newspaper columns with good, sound democratic doctrine. He has been helping other people get offices for the past fifteen or twenty years and his friends think that his time has now arrived. Montgomery County Convention Takes Over Two Hundred Ballots

FOR THE TAX ASSESSORSHIP

Without Any Result_Several Candi dates Indorsed-Baldwin County Went for Johnston.

Montgomeny, Ala., April 17,-(Special.) The Montgomery county convention has not ominated a tax assessor yet, although more than two hundred ballots have bee

This afternoon the delegates ceased to ry any longer and by resolution side tracked the assessorship and disposed of the other business of the convention. Hons W .W. Hill, A. A. Willey, A. T. Dreyspring legislature.

By a rising vote the convention unaninously adopted a resolution indersing in the most flattering terms the candidacy for state auditor of Hon. James B. Simpson, of this city. The candidacy of Hon. Hency C. Tomp

kins, for United States senator; of Hon P. B. Master, for railroad commissioner, and of Hon. John W. A. Sanford, for elector at large, was indorsed without a The resolution requesting the legislature

o pass a law providing for the holding of primaries within the state was also adopted. eteen delegates to the state convention were then selected, and the convention adjourned until tomorrow, when the county executive committee will be selected and another attemps will be made to name a tax assessor.

No resolution involving finances was in-

Baldwin county, which adjoins Mobile and which has always been counted for Mr Clarke, presented a surprise today by re its three votes for Johnston Clarke's name will be presented to the ounced until the day of the convention ou of consideration for those of his supporters state offices. The campaign wounds have practically already healed and everybody

Fusion on the County Ticket. Birmingham, Ala., April 17.—(Special.)— Populists and republicans of Jefferson county today held their county convention and the committees appointed to confer on fusion came together and agreed. The republicans, though their convention was ment among those in attendance, agreed or the candidates allowed them in the agree

The following ticket was made out for the county by both conventions: State senator, J. W. A. Smith, republican; legislators, Fred Sloss, W. H. Mothershed and Rev. J. G. H. Spencer and John Lamont, populists tax collector, William Snyder, republican tax assessor, T. A. McLaughlin, populist; sheriff, Dr. M. C. Ragsdale, populist; treas-urer, John T. McEnery, republican; coroner, H. C. Rice, republican; commissioner firs district, S. H. Huri, populist; second, R. I Baker, populist; third, J. G. Crews, repub-

Reuben Kolb, Jr., was elected chairman of the county executive committee of th populist party here for the next year. The o end in their convention and sent two sets of delegates to the district and state

Simpson for Auditor.

here now in the state auditorship contest Montgomery has a candidate for the place, and an exceedingly popular one-Hon. Iames B Simpson. He has always been an ardent Johnston supporter, and the splendid victory in this county is due in a very large measure to his active and effi cient work. His friends here argue that the northern half of the state has secured governor, the secretary of state, the at orney general, the superintendent of edureasurer. This leaves only one office for south Alabama—the auditorship—and Mr. him in it if they can. They believe that

Prospectors Are Busy in the Mountains of North Georgia.

GREAT ACTIVITY IS SHOWN

Mining Properties Are in Good De mand by Developers with Capital.

WHAT IS GOING ON AMONG THE MINERS

There Is No Longer Any Question About the Gold Field Paying Investors.

Canton, Gai, April 17.-(Special.)-The nining interest in Cherokee county still manifests itself in new developments, pros pect work, and reported deals and con ditional sales in all parts of the county The coming of spring and the beautiful weather of the past few weeks have brought new prospectors, developers and capitalists who are examining the gold properties and getting a hold here that promises much toward the development and upbuilding of all this section.

The deep mining and chlorination pro cess so successfully worked at the Creigh ton and old Franklin mines in this coun ty, is dispelling all skepticism that any may have had as to the true richness and extent of the Georgia gold mine, and is demonstrating beyond all question that the deeper the shafts are sunk and the more thorough the work of tunneling as depth of from three hundred to on thousand feet, the richer the ore bed The Thiess chlorination process used at the Creighton clearly demonstrates, too, that no matter how sulphurettic or rebellious the ores may be the pure gold therein can be and is being saved at a loss of only 2 per cent or less to the ton.

For years and years past the great drawback to Georgia gold mines was termed low grade, rebellious and sul-phuret, but this being lived down by practical experiments and every day demonstrations that 98 per cent of the gold in the sulphuret or pyrites ore can be saved at a cost of from \$1.80 to \$2.7 per ton, including mining, milling, chlor-ination, etc., and now the tide is turning this way and leaving the gold fields of the west and even of South America, and the gold fields of Africa and elsewhere. Here the miners find rich pay ore in

65 days in the year, Sunday only excepted Where Georgia mines are properly work ed by experienced miners backed by money ample to make all necessary preliminary work, like the owners of the Creighton nine have done, it is no longer a question of "Will mining pay?" but resolves itself into the question, "How much will the

is true that many of the Georgia gold mines have been reported failures, said a miner today, "but in nine out of every ten of them the real cause is traceto inexperience and reckless manage ment, or rather mismanagement, lack of money to make necessary developments, or legal troubles arising among the owners, rather than from any lack of pay ore on which to run. I know this to be true of "From the present outlook I am con

vinced that the next five years will show more work on and development of the g veins and mines of Cherokee and fev failures than any corresponding period in the past. Already a number of properties are being worked in the county, and each one is in the hands of men of experience who have gone to work in a systematic way and with a proper appreciation of what is to be done before a property can

ceas. Among these I may mention the Charles minc, near the Creighton, which is in charge of Mr. C. Mortjean, who is now busily engaged crecting a large mill and other machinery thereon; the mew Charles recently opened and being developed by Dr. C. Charles, an old and experienced miner; the Cox property, near Bail Ground, on which machinery and a new process for saving gold is being put up; the Frank P. Burtz mine, the Richard the Sando and poperty adjoiling to extensive with the sando and poperty adjoiling the extensive with the sando and poperty adjoiling the extensive with the sando and poper adjoiling the extensive with the sando and the lines of the sando and the lines of the sando and the san

total resent output of the United States."
In mother part of his letter Mr. Howland truly writes: 'It is safe to say that
as soon as the gold properties are properly
developed the net profits therefrom will
far exceed in amount the gross value of
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developed the net profits therefrom will far exceed in amount the gross value of the cotton and all other crops of the state. When the facts get more fully known and understood, then towns like Cartersville and Canton will pass through an experience similar to that of Johannesburg, in the way of rapid accession of population and wealth.

"It is no utopian dream of the people of this section when they say and believe this to be the El Dorado of gold mining in America. A few short years will demonstrate all most clearly."

WATER BOARD MEETING.

NEW PIPES WILL BE LAID ON SEVERAL STREETS.

The Board Decides To Postpone the Purchase of Railroad Car Scales for the Present.

The regular monthly meeting of the water board was held in the council chamber yesterday afternoon. Considerable routine business was acted upon. The board passed up orders for the laying of water pipe on a number of streets. The work of laying a big pipe or North Pryor street from Decatur street to Peach-

Other necessary mains will be laid. Superintendent Woodward reported tha the new big main from the pumping sta tion to North avenue had been completed. The main will double the capacity of the water service to the main line trunk pip in the city. It has not yet been connected on account of the failure of a check valve to arrive, but will be connected in a few The board considered the advisability o

outting in railroad car scales at the two for the purpose of weighing coal for use at stations. No action was taken on the ques-tion. At present the board has no funds that can be used for the purpose, and it was decided to allow the matter to go until the new apportionment is mad

Several matters of minor importance wer discussed. Superintendent Woodward's report covered the workings of the depart during the past month. The full board was present at the meeting.

THE BATE TOO HIGH.

Mary Mathews Files a Petition Against G. H. Hancock. A colored woman by the name of Mary lathews has filed a petition in Judge Landrum's court against G. H. Hancock the money lender, praying for the recovery usurious money that is purported to ave been paid him when it was not due The petition cites that on April 6, 1855, the plaintiff borrowed \$10 from the defendant agreeing to pay \$3.60 interest each month until the principal was paid. The plaintiff furthermore states that the \$16 has never been paid, but that she has continued to pay the interest for eleven months, having given defendant \$3.60 and that the principal is still due. She states that the rate of interest is too high and prays for the return of the amount paid. The case will probably be tried today.

The citizens residing on Ashby and West funter streets have made complaint unter streets have made complaint out rubbish being dumped in that neigh-

borhood.

It seems that the section has been one of the dumping grounds of the city for some time, and the citizens fearing that the refuse may cause sickness, have decided to put a stop to it if possible.

Americus, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)—Mr. T. F. Logan, a prominent citizen of Americus, is critically iil and his recovery is hardly expected. For several days he has been suffering from beautiful. een suffering from brain affection. Mr. Logan has been a citizen of Americus for perhaps a quarter of a century and has held nany positions of trust within that period His death will be generally regretted.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. Twenty-five cents.

Our Militia Forces. From The Philadelphia Public Ledger.

The state organizations of the nationa

mated that they would form the nucleus of an army of nearly 10,000,000 young, able bodied men. The number given is 9,467,684 New York has the largest force, 12,901 men and Pennsylvania the next largest 8,482.
Ohio, Illinois, South Carolina, Massachusetts, California, Georgia, New Jersey, Alabama, Indiana, Virginia, Texas, Michi-gan, Connecticut, Wisconsin and Iowa foi-low in the order named. In these states the national guard is well organized and disciplined, and generally well armed. Ok-lahoma has the smallest force-153 menand the guard is generally weakest in the mining states of the far west, where there are no great centers of population, yet these states would probably furnish a larger proportion of useful volunteers to an army than some of the eastern states, where the militia force is strongest. The where the militia force is strongest. The national guard is a very useful force, maintained without cost to the general government. It is now very much superor to the militia as it existed prior to the war of the militia as it existed prior to the war of the rebellicn, and yet the militia was extremely serviceable in furnishing officers for the volunteers. The Seventh regiment of New York used to be the subject of ridicule, because the members were "ballroom soldiers" and made much of fancy uniforms and displays; but the Seventh has not been ridiculed singe the war. Its ballroom soldiers did good service. nearly all of them becoming officers, and some of them winting great distinction on the field of battle. In the piping times of peace the citizen soldiers quite naturally engage in diversions that are not military in character, but the national guard as at present organized in this and adjoining states is no mere holiday organization. Its discipline is excellent, it has plenty of hard work to do, and if called into active service month. All good Americans, being peace-fully minded, hope that the national guard will never be called upon for war service, but the knowledge that it is ready to head an army of 10,000,000 is a great comfort to the country, and an assurance that we

OUR COAST DEFENSES.

Chicago Record: There has been a good deal of war talk in the present session of congress, and the outcome has been the passage of a bill by outcome has been the passage of a bill by
the house appropriating over \$11,000,000 for
fortifications and other works for the defense of the coast line of the United States.
It is fortunate for the country that the
warlike spirit of congress found its outlet
in this direction instead of some other.
There is a need for coast defenses. There
are millions of dollars' worth of property in
seaboard cities absolutely at the mercy
of any foreign fleet that may descend upon
us. It is right that these cities should be
protected. Coast defenses are simply for defense. They are not
for aggression. The expenditure
of money in this direction, unlike some forms which expenditure for military purposes might take, will not place
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Chicago Tribune: The house has certain-

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Thomas Was Shot in the Arm, but the Bullet Was Aimed for His

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A lively shooting scrape occur Decatur street in front of the Kinhouse last night about 8 o'clock He Graves, a young white man, shot painfully wounded George Thomas, a tractor from Milton county.

Two shots were fired, one going to Phomas's coat and the other lodging not killed, for if he had not thrown un arm, which caught the second bu The shooting created quite a good deal excitement around the Kimball, In than five minutes a crowd of about 1 of the disturbance.

Graves made no effort to escape arrested by Officers Hewitt and Box patrol wagon was sent for and he hearing on the charge of assau

tent to murder.
Thomas was also taken to the house and will be held for disorderly adduct. Dr. Wright was called in and state that except for a very painful wound the left wrist there would be

George Thomas is a contractor by and moved to Milton county fro machine works and boards with a machine works and boards with a high of Thomas on Bellwood avenue. The men were good friends before the diff and have been associated together is same work for a number of years.

Whisky the Cause.

Thomas arrived in the city yes morning from his home in Milton and was drinking heavily. He met and was drinking neavily. He met Gravel at the corner of Marietta and Fortyl streets yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock and made some remark that Graves did not like. One word let to another and Thomas hit Graves a stinging The men were separated by bystanders and Graves started home. He was so enraged, however, that he returned to tows

and bought a pistol from the Capital Cip Loan Company and some cartridges that the Fitten-Thompson Hardware Company. About 8 o'clock in the evening he was walking leisurely up Decatur street and just concept the ladies, entrance of the About 8 o'clock in the evening and walking leisurely up Decatur street and just opposite the ladies' entrance of the just opposite the ladies' entrance of Kimball he met Thomas walking in other direction.
Two Shots Fired.

Graves says that he spoke to Thomas and that Thomas drew his knife and was starting to cut him when he shot. The wounded man fell in the door of the ladies' entrance to the Kimball house.
Officers Hewitt and Boon happened to
be close by at the time and soon bad Officers Hewitt be close by at the time and soon to the police station in the patrol wagon. Thomas soon found that he was not hurt and arose and went to a head of the was after on Whitehall street. He was solice headquarters. afterwards taken to police headquar where his wound was dressed by

and seemed greatly relieved when to learned that Thomas was only slightly hurt. He appeared to greatly regret the occurrence and stated that he committed the deed in self-defense. He said that Thomas, when drinking, is a very overafternoon. His face exhibited a large bruise as the result of the blow.

Graves will be held at police headquar-ters on the charge of assault with in-tent to murder and will probably be given a preliminary hearing today. Thom-as was released on \$25 collateral on the charge of disorderly conduct and his case will come up before Judge Calhoun today.

CHIEF CONNOLLY BACK.

He Arrived from the State Convention lat Columbus Yesterday Afternoon. Chief of Police Connolly returned to the city yesterday afternoon from Columbus. where he has been attending the state chiefs' convention since Monday. He ap-pears much invigorated by his rest and will take up his official duties with renew-

ed energy and interest.

The chief is loud in his praises The chief is loud in his praises of the hospitality of the people of Columbus, and particularly of Captain Wylie Williams, the local chief, who did everything in his power to make the visit of the delegates a pleasant one. Chief Connolly was accompanied by his wife, who also was the recipient of many social attentions.

The delegates were banqueted, given a delightful trolley ride over the city and were treated to an old-fashloned Georgia barbecue. The convention was one of the best in the history of the organization in Georgia and was an occasion long to be remembered by the officers.

HEEDLESS WOMEN.

They Pay's Sad Penalty for Their Neglack If women only heeded first sym nervousness, backache, head-



Lydia E. Vegetable pound, there would be much less suffering. But they are

eargless, or their physician is to blame, and they drift into some distressing female disease. The Vegetable Compound at once removes all irregularities of the monthly period: inflam-mation, ulceration and displacement of the womb, and all female troubles. All druggists have it. Write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., if you wish for advice, which she will give you

"I should not be alive to-day, if it had not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was suffering greatly from an attack of female weakness, and nothing I had tried could give me relief; when by the advice of a friend I began the Compound. After using it two months I was a different girl, and now at the end of six I am entirely cured."—Mrs. ANNII KIBSLAND, Patchogue, L. L.

The Ins and Outs of It.

A Burglar To Hang.

son, a negro who committed burglary at the house of Cannon Shield, in Mecklenburg

Raleigh, N. C., April 17 .- Monroe

If you get best wear out of a coat best work must have gone into it. You can't get good bread out of poor flour.

Moral: You can't get the best out of anything unless the best is in it; and the best has to be put in before it can be taken out. Now, we have a rule to test those sarsaparillas with a big "best" on the bottle. "Tell us what's put in you and we'll decide for ourselves about the best." That's fair. But these modest sarsaparillas say: "Oh! we can't tell. It's a secret. Have faith in the label." . . . Stop! There's one exception; one sarsaparilla that has no secret to hide. It's Ayer's. If you want to know what goes into Ayer's Sarsaparilla, ask your doctor to write for the formula. Then you can satisfy yourself that you get the best of the sarsaparilla argument when you get Ayer's.

It kills doubts but cures doubters.

Any doubt left? Get the "Curebook." Address: J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

will be seeking trouble.

Chicago Tribune: The house has certainly been generous, as the amount appropriated exceeds Secretary Lamont's estimate \$3,55,450. That it has been mindful of its patriotic duty is shown by the fact that the appropriation was made unanimously. Of the total sum, \$5,42,337 is specifically appropriated, and contract obligations are authorized for the remainder of \$5,52,56.

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Macon's New Issue of Bonds Being Sought by Investors.

THE SUIT AGAINST THE CITY

Brought by Stephen Noble-Counsel Employed To Assist the City Attorney-General Macon News.

Macon, April 17 .- (Special.) - Macon will have no difficulty in selling the \$180,000 of fonds for which the people voted on Wednesday, \$130,000 of which are to be expended in paving the streets. Already investors are seeking the bonds and inquiries are coming in from the north. Macon's securities are considered gilt-edge, hence the demand for the bonds. The bonds wil probably be printed by one of the three lithographing establishments in Georgia. These \$130,000 of bonds do not represent the whole sum that is to be expended in pay ing. In fact \$130,000 is really only about onethird of the amount. This represents the city's proportionate part, whereas, property holders on each side of streets to be paved will have to pay one-third of the cost of paving, and street car lines must also pay a part. It is safe to say that fully \$400,000 will be expended in paving at the present time. Bids will be duly advertised for on all classes of paving material, such as belgiar blocks, asphalt, vitrified brick, macadam It is probable that at least two classes of material will be used.

Attorney Marion Harris filed suit this evening in the United States court for Mrs. Mattie L. Mercer, against he Southern railway for \$15,000 damages for the death of her husband, Robert L. Mercer, who was eman on the ill-fated freight train that was wrecked at Stone creek, and Mercer

Criswell and Shaw will be tried.

Attorney Harris has five counts or declarations in the suit, to-wit: First, that the trestle was rotten; second, proper signals were not given to the freight train after the passenger train plunged over the tres tle into the creek; third, it was not a mali cious or criminal wreck; fourth, the super visor was negligent in not reporting the condition of the trestle, and guarding igainst the wreck; fifth, the passenger and freight trains were running too close to gether under the orders of superior officials. The Nobles Suit.

Mayor Price will probably be authorized by council to employ counsel to assist City Attorney Minter Wimberly in the defense of the \$125,000 suit that Sewer Contrac-tor Stephen N. Nobles has brought against the city. Mr. Nobles has engaged an able the city. Mr. Nobles has engaged an able coterie of attorneys to represent him, to-wit: Hardeman. Davis & Turner, Marion Erwin, and Dessau, Bartlett & Ellis. It is not known who Mayor Price wai select to assist the city attorney. Among names that rumor mentions are Judge Chiford Anderson. Olin J. Wimberly and N. E. Harris. None of these, however, may be chosen by the mayor.

Three Directors Resigned.

The following three directors of the Georgia Southern and Florida railroad have resigned: John Gill, president of the Mave resigned: John Gill, president of the Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company, of Baltimore; Congressman C. L. Bartlett, of Macon: Charles D. Fisher, of Baltimore, who is also a director of the Seaboard Air-Line. At a meeting of the directors yesterday there were elected in the place of Messrs. Gill and Bartlett the following two Mentiemen: A. S. Pendieton, a merchant of Valdosta, and W. A. Merrydon, a merchant of Palatka. Fla. No successor for the present was elected to Mr. Fisher.

Hon. F. H. Burch. Hon. F. H. Burch is in the city. He arived this morning from Jeffersonville here he has been in attendance on Twiggs erior court. Mr. Burch talks confidently of his race for congress from the eleventh district, and he thinks he is steadily gaining. He is making an active canvass of the district, and is speaking to large and enthusiastic audiences.

Sheriffs and Clerks.

Bibb county's popular and efficient sher-ff, Sam G. Westcott, is president of the Association of Sheriffs and Clerks of Georgia. He states that the annual convention will be held this year on the second Wednesday in July at Indian Spring. It is expected there will be a large gathering of the clerks and sheriffs at this popular re-sort

Civil Service Examination.

The United States civil service commis mission has ordered that an examination be held by its local board in this city on Sacurday, June 6th, next, commencing at o'clock a. m., for the grades of clerk and carriers in the postal service.

For application blanks, ruil instructions and information relative to the duties and salaries of the different positions, apply to A. C. Perkins, secretary board of examiners postal service. Postoffice address, Maron, Ga.

An Important Matter.

One of the important matters to be tended to at the twenty-third annual convention of the Georgia State Sunday School Association, which will assemble in Macon next Monday, is the election of twenty-four delegates to represent Georgia in the sighth delegates to represent Georgia in the eighth, (international (thirteenth national) Sunday school convention, to be held in the city of Boston, Mass., June 23d-26th Newsy Notes.

Commencing next Monday a daily shoo-ny train will run on the Macon and Bir-mingham railroad between Macon and La-

mingham railroad between Macon and La-Grange. The train will reach Macon at 12 o'clock noon from LaGrange, and leave Macon at 3 p. m.

The services at the First Baptist church frow daily in interest. Rev. G. W. Argabrite has shown much ability as a leader of chorus. Rev. White is preaching eloquent sermons.

St. Omer commandery of Macon, fared well yesterday in the election of officers of the grand commandery of Knights Templars of Georgia at the annual conclave in Columbus. C. M. Wiley was elected deputy grand commander: R. H. Smith, grand treasurer and S. M. Sheppard, grand sword bearer.

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bearer.

The following Maconites have been appointed by President R. T. Nesbitt as members of the ways and means committee, to help collect a display from Georgia for the cotton exposition at Chicago: George A. Smith, R. H. Piant, T. J. Carling, J. S. Baxter, Sam Atlmayer, W. H. Felton, Jr., C. B. Willingham, George W. Duncan, Macon can be relied on to do her full duty. The Young Ladies' Cotillon Club gave a brilliant german tonight at the Log Cabin Club.

Hon, N. E. Harris will deliver an address

FOR THE PRESENT

mons Liver Regulator-and that before you try anything else—the delay may be dangerous. Simmons Liver Regulator is the best liver remedy and the best blood medicine, and on that account is the Best Spring Medicine. You can always count on it that Simmons Liver Regulator will benefit your health, because it regulates the liver—keeps it in good working order— and that is more than can be said of all other preparations which might be offered you as a substitute. Don't take them; but do take Simmons Liver Regulator. It is the only liver medicine on the market called Simmons Liver Regulator—don't forget the word Regulator—and that the Red Z is on every package. J. H. Zeilin & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

TAKE ONLY

SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR.

A DEMAND FOR THEM

On the next of faday afternoon at the Young Men's Christian Association.

Mr. J. A. Peacock, the able and popular editor of The Dublin Dispatch, is in the city.

Last night at a meeting of the Macon Theosophical Society the following delegates were elected to the international convention of the Theosophical Society in America, which is to be held in New York, April 26th and 27th: Messrs. Ed Smith, Walter Hanson, E. Stow, Samuel Charplot and Iverson Harris.

GOES OVER TILL NEXT MONTH

TRIAL OF THE ALLEGED TRAIN WRECKERS POSTPONED

On Account of the Absence of a Wit ness-A Disappointment to

Jeffersonville, Ga., April 17.-(Special.) The trial of the alleged wreckers, which promised so many sensations for the large audience present, suddenly collapsed this morning and goes over until the fourth Monday in next month, at which time a special term of the court will convene for the sole purpose of trying these cases.

This was brought about by the absence of one of the material witnesses for the defense, and Colonel Ham made such good use of that circumstance as to succeed in carrying the case over until the time menloned, although it was strongly resisted by the state's counsel.

Judge Smith was very reluctant to give this direction, but the showing made There were no sensational incidents in the

proceedings today. It was a great disappointment to our people that the case could not be tried, but every one recognized the justice of the direction given it by Judge The Nobles trial and this case have cos

our county a great deal of money and on top of all this, we are to have another term of court that will greatly increase expenses.

DR. NOBLE IS PRESIDENT Of the Georgia Medical Association. Last Day's Proceedings.

Augusta, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)—The last day's session of the Georgia Medical college brought out some interesting pa-pers and also the election of officers. The secret ballot showed the following officers to have been chosen for the coming year President, George H. Noble, of Atlanta; first vice president, J. B. Morgan, of Augusta; second vice president, R. L. Bar ron, of Macon; treasurer, E. C. Goodrich, of Augusta; censor to fill vacancy on board, Dr. Eugene Foster.

The secretary is elected for five years, and Dr. R. H. Taylor, of Griffin, was elected last year. There were two places discussed for the

holding of the next convention—Cumberland island and Macon. Macon was agreed upon.

STRICKEN WITH APOPLEXY. An Atlanta Traveling Man Dying in Columbus.

Columbus, Ga., April 17 .- (Special.)-Professor H. W. Battle, a former resident of Columbus, but who is now traveling representative of V. E. Orr. of Atlanta, suffered a stroke of apoplexy this afternoon at the Columbus Inn, a local hotel, where he has been stopping. He had just stepped out of the door of his room when the stroke came. He fell to the floor unconscious and has been so ever since.

He is now critically ill and it is not thought that he can live through the night. Professor Battle is well known here, he having been prominently connected with the public schools of the city for many years. He is about fifty-live cars of age and before he came here taught school near Union Springs, Ala. A few years has made Atlanta his business headquarters. His family live at Barnesville, Ga. He has been in Columbus several days in

SCARLETT FOR THE SENATE.

He Is a Free Coinage Man and Sup-

ports Judge Crisp. Brunswick, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)— Frank M. Scarlett, a wealthy and prominent business man of Brunswick, formerly a large lumber dealer and merchant of Camden county, has announced his candidacy for the senate as an exponent of he free coinage of silver and a supporter of Judge Crisp for the United States sen-ate. The counties comprising this sen-atorial district are Glynn, Camden and Charlton. Scarlett will have to oppose it his race Harry F. Dunwoody, who will make the race on the gold platform and as supporter of duBignon for the senate. Scarlett's candidacy is a surprise to the public, but he states that for two months he has been working in Camden and Charlton. His family connections in this district are large and he is depending on coming to Glynn with enough votes to evercome Dunwoody's mapority here. What the result of Scarlett's candidacy will be cannot be foretold now.

TRIAL OF NICHOLSON,

Charged with the Murder of Philip Duval.

Valdosta, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)—At Madison, Fla., this morning at 10 o'clock Andrew Nicholson, who was at one time a policeman of this city, was put on trial for the murder of Philip Duval, a promifor the murder of Philip Duval, a prominent place less beginning. for the murder of Philip Duval, a prominent business man of that place, last December. A telegram from there states that there will be only five witnesses, and they will represent the state. It is said that a man named Bass, from this county, will testify that Nicholson confessed the killing to him at the time of the tragedy. Public indignation ran high and Nicholson was carried from here to Jacksonville to avoid mob violence. He is represented in the trial by Colonels Ramsey, of this city, and Johnson, of Jasper. The solicitor is assisted by Colonel Frank Pope, of Jacksonville, in the prosecution. The case is being watched with great interest through this section. is being watered with great interest through this section. Sheriff Pons, of Baker county. Florida, was here today and identified lienry Walker, who is in jail here for killing Lewis Peters, as the man who killed H. J. Green and Steve Jenkins in Baker county. The sheriff told Walker that the grand jury had found a true bill against him.

LEWIS AT JEFFERSONVILLE.

Jeffersonville, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)—
The very fine speech made by Hon. E. B.
Lewis, of 'Macon county, today after the
adjournment of court made a marked impression upon the large audience who
heard it. They had heard that he was
only a business man and they were agreeably surprised that he proved to be a good
speaker also. He handled the monetary
question in a masterly manner and convinced all that he had made a close study
of this all-absorbing and most important
matter. He came out flat-footed for free
coinage. He made many friends and has
already become a great favorice with our
people. Yesterday

Barn Burned at Clarkston.

Clarkston, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)—The barn, stables and tenant house of Captain E. A. Warwick burned this afternoon. About 60 bushels of corn and 5,000 bundles of fodder, with hay, were consumed in the

NO FUSION, SAYS BUCK

The "Easy Boss" States That Republicans and "Pops" Will Not Unite.

DENIES THE REPORTED DEAL

An Ex Cathedra Statement from the Leader of the Party-What the "Boss" Says.

"There has been no deal as far as I know between the republican party of this state and the populists," "Easy Boss" Buck decided after much deliberation to answer the question

"I have heard of no fusion," he continued

"Further than this I care to say noth-This statement from Colonel Buck puts at rest the mooted question of populist fusion in this state and assures the fact that no trade has thus far been made.

been general in political circles over the reported deal. Reports said to be based upon the most reliable authority were made. It was said that it was already arranged for the populists of the state to take the statehouse officers and the republicans to get the congressional honors. This deal was said to have been made at a recent caucus in Macon between wellknown populist leaders and several repul lican chiefs. The plan stated was to be lican state convention, which will semble in this city on April 29th, and remain secret until the democratic state convention of June 25th After that it was to be announced and pushed vigorously by both parties. This was one of the deals

said to have been made.

Another report said that the statehouse officers were to be divided and that Tom Watson would be put out for governor. There would be an equal division of federal

These reports were vouched for. It wa stated positively that the trade had already

Up to this time Colonel Buck has per sistently refused to have anything to say on the subject and his reticence gave color to the verity of the reports. When seen esterday afternoon Colonel Buck was busy looking over his heavy mail. He was asked as to the prospect of a split in the coming republican convention.

republican convention.

"I prefer to have nothing to say on that. The convention will be a large one. I hope that it will be harmonious."

"Will the tight of the American Protective Association affect McKinley in Georgia?" was asked.

"That, too, I do not care to discuss," said Colonel Buck. "As far as I know there are very few American Protective Association men in republican ranks."

Colonel Buck was quiestioned closely in regard to the fusion with the populists. He was inclined at first not to say anything.

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"This is a matter," he said, "which I think has been greatly exaggerated. No deal has been made. I know of no fusion. The republicars bave their principles; the populists have theirs. I know of no amalgamation."

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The Clans Will Gather. The Clans Will Gather.

The republican convention, which will assemble in this city on April 29th, promises lively results. From nearly every district in the state a contesting delegation will come up. Those who know say that there will be a wide splt. The main fight will be made upon the election of Major J. T. Hanson as delegate at large from this state to the Et. Louis convertion. It is the purpose of the faction led by Pledger to defeat him and every effort will be made to that end.

CLOSED THE STORE.

Excitement Over an Attempt To Seize a Stock of Goods. Eatonton, Ga., April 17 .- (Special.) - Some little excitement was caused in Eatonton by a representative of Wolff & Happ, of

goods known as the business of S. Cohen. M. Wice. who was in charge, claims he had no authority to turn over the stock, but Wolff proceeded to pack it up and had got his work well under way when Wice instituted proceedings and had the store closed by the sheriff. Both parties were greatly enraged and several times came near coming to blows. Mr. Wolff states that he had instructions to take the stock from Wolff & Happ. The matter is in the hands of the court tonight and Wolff has gone back to Macon.

A fine horse of the stable of E. N. Allison ran away on Main street today at-tached to a dray, kulling himself against a tree close to the curbing.

The Zouaves Thanked The First regiment of Chicago has written to the Atlanta Zouaves expressing the gratitude of that organization for the courtesies received at the hands of the

follows:

"Headquarters First Infantry I. N. G., Chicago, Ill.—The First infantry, Illinois, desires to express through its commanding officer its deep appreciation of the overflowing hospitality and brotherly courtesy extended to its members by the Atlanta Zouaves, Atlanta, Ga., on the occasion of its trip through the south in November, 1895.

1895.
"The regiment will always cherish as among its choicest recollections the delightful friendships and pleasures of comradeship resulting from this trip.
"No pleasanter duty ever came to the commanding officer than that of signing and forwarding this expression of the regiment's wishes. and forwarding this expression of regiment's wishes.
"HENRY L. TURNER,
"Colonel First Infantry, Illinois."

BETTER THAN MONEY

A New and Important Way of Looking at the Currency Question.

steadily concentrated upon our national currency. 'Parties are divided on the ques-tion. Men are worked up over it. It

means a great deal for the welfare of millions.

There is one way of looking at the question that seems to have been lost sight tof. Is it not better to have \$50 in gold than \$5 in silver? And yet there are many people who are practically throwing away large amounts and holding onto the smaller amount. Many people who might be earning ten times as much as they do, fail because they lack health and energy. Health and strength represent a value greater than gold, and yet many people put up with a run-down system, which steals away half their working power. Eventually they lose by sickness and medical expenses and their families suffer, when it might all readily be avoided.

These are hard times. Thousands are succumbing to the strains of life. Ill health is the rule and not the exception. People need their best strength and energy all the while. Health, which is more valuable than gold, can be madnatured and even secured when it is lost, if the proper care and right remedy are used. And we do not hesitate to say that there are but few mean or women who, read these words that cannot be put in perfect condition by the use of that great, that grand discovery, Warner's Safe Cure. This entire paper could be filled with testimonials from the grateful ones whose lives have been saved and whose health restored ty its use, and if you, reader, are a sufferer, you may readily be ong the number. We earnestly recommed to you to think seriously upon this store.

SHE BEAT THE PREACHER. A COLORED SISTER MAULS A

PREACHER Who Insisted on Praying for Her.

Clarke Rifles Will Not Disband. Other Athens News.

Athens, Ga., April 17 .- (Special.)-Rev. J. W. Gardner, the colored Baptist preacher who has been in trouble with different members of his flock here on account of the charge that he is a Methodist and for other things, caught it heavily this morn-ing. He was not on good terms with one of the sisters of his flock and went around today to make friends with her. Her name is Patience Baker, but none would have thought so by judging of her actions. She had no patience with Gardner, and efused to let him come into her hou This didn't satisfy the reveraned preacher and he asked to be allowed to come in and

and he asked to be allowed to come in and pray with her.

She indignantly refused, but he would go in. He entered the door and just then the devil came into Patience. Gardner didn't observe the presence of the evil one and dropped on his knees and began to pray. In the midst of his exhortations and prayer, when he was soaring high in his elocuence, Patience let in on him with a heavy stick and nearly mauled the life out of him. He came to police beadquarters to report the case and his head was battered up considerably. The affair will wind up in mayer's court.

cr's court. Will Not Disband. The Clarke Rifles, our crack military company, will not disband, as was intended a few weeks since. The city council on account of the law in

the case refused to appropriate \$300 to the company to assist in defraying expenses. The citizens, however, nave come forward with a subscription equal to that amount and the company will not disband. A Big Raid.

The police pulled the negro gamblers yes erday and lodged them in Clarke county ail. Four of them gave bond later on. I is said there will be a number of additional arrests for this offense. The grand jury will make its semi-annual raid on the gamblers this week.

WHERE IS THE LAURADA

That Left Savannah with Over Three Hundred Negroes?

Savannah, Ga., April 17 .- (Special.)-The steamship Laurada, which carried 311 emigrants to Liberia, has now been out forty her. She was due to arrive at Monrovia in twenty days after leaving here, and a cable dispatch was expected within five or six days after her arrival. The conclusions have been drawn that she is either a filibuster or has been lost. The agents of the International Emigration Society here say they were to have notice as soon as the Laurada arrived, but not a line has been heard. They are beginning to be somewhat anxious, and a diligent inquiry is being instituted. The migration mov has received somewhat of a setback in this section on account of it, and some of the negroes who were contemplating making the trip are backing squarely down.

TWO MORE COUNTIES.

Liberty Will Consolidate All Action on June 6th-Union Postpones. Hinesville, Ga., April 17 .- (Special.)-The

Liberty county democratic executive committee met in Hinesville today. After a full and free expression from the ommittee it was decided to hold a mass meeting in Hinesville on June 6th for the purpose of obtaining an expresson of the people as to whom they desired for governor and state house officers. It was also unanimously carred that the people be allowed to express their preference as to the United States senator on the same day. The experience of the party in this county in holding primaries in each district has been very unsatisfactory and in conse

quence the committee thought best to hold a mass meeting, which will be held in the shape of a courthouse primary. Union Postpones Nominations. Blairsville, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)) mass meeting has been ordered in this Union county, to be held at Blairsville, on June 6th, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention. On that day we will elect a new executive com-mittee. We will not nominate candidates for the legislature or express any prefer-

ence for United States senator before the 15th of August. THEY HAVE NOT FUSED.

The North Carolina Populists and Re-

publicans Have Not Blended. Raleigh, N. C., April 17.-The populist state executive committee was in session again today and appointed a committee of five, with Senator Marion Butler as chair man, to confer with the republican sub-committee, of which Senator Pritchard, Congressman Settle and State Chairman Holton are members.

The populist committee submitted its de

mand as a prerequisite to fusion, this de-mand being that co-operation shall be solely upon a preamble and resolution signed by Henry M. Teller and seventeen other United States senators, including Pritchard, de-claring for the free and unlimited obinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1 by independent action of the United States, and in favor of a tariff sufficient to equalize the cost of production in the United States and i

European and Asiatic countries. The republican sub-committee declined the proposition, saying it would not abandon the republican organization in North Caro-lino, and submitted one dividing state oflino, and submitted one dividing state officers, the republicans to name the candidate for governor, providing for complete congressional and legislative fusion, ratifying and confirming an agreement heretofore made, according the senatorship to the republican party, the populists to support such nominees. Each party is to run its own electoral ticket.

The populist state committee spent this afternoon considering this republican demand.

mand.

Senator Pritchard says that he peremptorily refused to support an independent free silver electoral ticket and that he intends to abide by the action of the national republican convention when it meets at St. Louis. It is said that all opposition by republicans to Senator Pritchard is to be withdrawn and that he is to be unanimously renominated.

ALABAMA DENTISTS.

Officers Electer for the Year To Come. Two Members Expelled. Selma, Ala., April 17.—(Special.)—The Alabama Dental Association held an interesting last-day's session today. The first act of the day was the adoption of a resolution

expelling two members of the association for unprofessional conduct. The offense for which the members were expelled was placof a newspaper.

The officers of the association refused to give the names of the expelled members.
Officers elected for the ensuing year were Officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, R. W. Rush, Selma; first vice president, C. A Merrell, Birmingham; second vice president, G. S. Vann, Gadsden; secretary, J. H. Frossland, Montgomery; executive committee, J. C. Wilkerson, of Selma; R. P. Tunstall, of Mobile, and C. L. Boyd, of Eufaula.

Dr. George Eubanks, of Birmingham, was elected to succeed himself as a member of the state board of dental examiners. Birmingham was selected as the next place of meeting.

Last Thursday night, a two-horse wagon was stolen from the firm of Wertzell & Fitzgibbons, on North Pryor street. The wagon was standing in the alley, next to the Marion hotel, and the thieves have not as yet been captured.

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The State Sunday School Convention Convenes April 20-22d

MANY DELEGATES EXPECTED

Atlanta Party Will Go in a Special Car. The Programme of the Proceedings.

The twenty-third annual convention of the Sunday schools of the state of Georgia will be held in the Mulberry street Methodist church of Macon, April 20th to 22d.

Indications now point to the best convention ever held in the history of the organization in this state, both from point of attendance and general interest. Fully two hundred delegates are expected to attend, and the occasion will be one long to be re

The programme has been arranged and

includes many interesting features. Elo quent addresses will be delivered by some of the most intellectual and instructive speakers in the south, and all sessions will be held in the Mulberry street church. The first meeting will be called to order by the state president, Mr. Asa G. Candler, Monday evening April 20th at 8 o'clock. The very low rate of one and one-third

fare for the round trip has been secured on all railroads entering Macon, and the certificate plan will be observed. Every official delegate will be given free entertainment by the people of Macon and this fact in itself should insure a large delegation, for nowhere is the true spirit of southern hos pitality more forcibly emphasized than in the Central City.

One of the most important features to be brought up at the convention will be the election of delegates to the triennial na-

tional convention, which meets in Boston in June. Each state is entitled to twice as many representatives as she has con gressmen, and as there are eleven mem bers in the congress from Georgia this state will be entitled to twenty-two dele gates. It is not yet known who will be elected to fill these important positions, bu suffice it to say that much discretion will be used in the selection, and some of the most prominent Sunday school workers in the state will be chosen. Miss Babel Hall, of Chicago, will be in

attendance at the Georgia convention, and her presence is sure to add much interest to the proceedings. She is one of the most ent Sunday school workers in the country, being in charge of the prepara-tory department of Emanuel Baptist church, in Chicago, of which Rev. B. F. Jacobs is pastor, and is also a lecturer of universal reputation and ability. The delegation from Atlanta wil largest in the state, and will leave in a spe-cial car on the Southern railway Monday, April 20th, at 4:10 p. m. It is not as yet known just who or how many will go, but a great many have expressed the inten-tion of attending, and no doubt there will be a large delegation.

The following is the programme of the

entire proceeding Monday Night. 7:30 p. m.—Devotional exercises, conducted by the president of the convention.
7:45—Song service, led by Mr. George A. Smith, chairman or the music committee.
8:00—Address, Rev. Warren A. Candler, D.D. Subject: "A Sunday School Substitute! Can There Be One?"
8:45—Announcements, by W. G. Solomon, chairman of the local committee of arrangements.
9:00—Adjournment, with benediction by ments. 9:00-Adjournment, with benediction by Rev. R. R. White, pastor of the First Pres-byterian church, Macon, Ga.

Tuesday Morning.

9:30—Devotional service, conducted by Rev. J. L. White, pastor of the First Baptist church, Macon, Ga.

9:50—Call to order, business of morning announced. 10:00—Address of welcome, by Rev. J. B. Gambrell, D.D., president of Mercer uniersity. 10:30—Responses, Hon. W. J. Northen 10:30-Responses, Hon. W. J. Northen, chairman of the executive committee, Fred T. Lockhart, secretary.

11:00-Announcement of committees on nominations, credentials, resolutions and memorials.

11:10-Acdress, Rev. Alonzo Monk, D. D., Subject: "The Unique Sphere of the Sunday School."

11:50-Annual report of the president.

12:00-Adjournment, benediction, by Rev. J. L. White, pastor of the First Baptist church.

Tuesday Afternoon. 2:30-Song service, conducted by George Smith, chairman of the music commit-A. Smith, charman of the music committee,
2:45—Discussion, Professor H. M. Hamill,
international field worker, "The International Work! Is It Needed?"
3:15—Address, Professor J. S. Tomlin, A.
M., superintendent of public schools, Tallapoosa, Ga. Subject: "Greater Efficiency
in Supervision and Teaching the Monumental Necessity."
3:45—Report of the executive committee,
4:00—Primary workers' conference, led
by Miss Mabel Hall, superintendent of the
primary department of Emanuel Baptist
church Sunday school, Chicago;
5:00—Report of credentials committee,
5:15—Adjournment. Benediction by Rev.
H. C. Combs, pastor First Christian church,
Tuesday Night.

Tuesday Night. 7:30—Bible reading and devotional, conducted by R. B. Reppard, Savannah, Ga. 8:00—Address, Rev. Wilbur P. Thirkield, D. D.; subject: "The Child—the Sunday School, the Man." 8:40—Benediction, Rev. O. W. Branch, pastor Centenary Methodist church.

Wednesday Morning. 9:30-Devotional, conducted by C. B. Els., president Bibb County Sunday School 9:45—Treasurer's report, F. S. Etheridge, reasurer Georgia State Sunday School As-

AND WE DON'T CARE WHO KNOWS IT. LOWRY HARDWARE COMPANY. 60 PEACHTREE STREET. 10:30—Address, Professor H. M. Hamill, "Normal Work, the Need of It."
11:30—Report of committee on nominations, and election of officers for the ensuring year.
12:00—Adjournment,

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Wednesday Afternoon.

Wednesday Arternoon.

2:30-Bible reading, led by Professor H.

M. Hamill, "International Field Worker."

2:45-Election of twenty-five delegates to represent Georgia in the international convention, to be held in Rome, June 23d, 24th and 25th.

3:15-Conference of county district officers, led by R. B. Reppard; state work discussion. uiscussion. 3:45—Primary workers' meeting, led by Miss Mabel Hall. 5:00—Report of committee on resolu-

lons. 5:30—Adjournment. Wednesday Night.

7:30—Song service, conducted by George A. Smith, chairman music committee. 7:45—Bible reading and devotional, led by Professor Hamill. 8:00—Address, W. S. Witham, teacher strangers' class, Trinity church, Atlanta, Ga.; subject, "Adult Classes, How to Teach Them." Them."
8:40—Farewells, encouragements.
9:00—Adjournment, "God Be with You."
etc.: benediction, Rev. A. B. Campbell,
pastor Tatnall square Baptist church.

State Prison Empty. The prison at police headquarters is di-vided into two divisions, one for the city months the state department was empty Business is exceedingly dull in police circles for this time of year, and comparatively few prisoners are being incarcerated.

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Nature's Wonder Garden. For several years ambitious and enter

prising spirits have been anxious to project a railroad through Yellowstone National Park.

The government, however, has steadily refused to grant this privilege, preferring for the park to remain unmolested in its fierce, pictorial grandeur.

The advocates of a railroad through the park contend that better facilities are needed for viewing the scenery of that magnificent region and that a railroad would satisfy this demand without subtracting in the least from the beauty of that famous wonder-garden.

Such a thing as a railroad in this paradise of the gods is looked upon as a desecration by those who oppose the proposition and who seem to be in the majority.

Repeated efforts have been made in recent years to mar the beauty of Niagara Falls by constructing a system of suspension bridges in the neighborhood the falls, but like the effort to invade ellowstone Park, these enterprises have met with signal and disastrous failure.

Despite the tendencies of this calculating and artificial age, there is still a reverence for nature in the heart of every man. This feeling may slumber as he moves along the avenues of trade or mingles in the busy whirlpool of con merce, but let him visit the seashore or stand amid the encircling glow of the mountains and the love of nature will spring up within him like a flame.

In discussing the proposed spoliation of Yellowstone National Park, The Sy racuse Courier makes the following com-

The means of visiting the park are ampl and inexpensive. Visitors, who number thousands each year, not alone from this but from other countries as well, are aweinspired by the wondrous natural beauties and amazed by the marvelous formation and upheavals of nature, which are the wonders of that far-famed region. The park should be preserved intact for all time as nature framed and fashioned it, and the hand of man should never be per itted to transform it in any manner by marring its primeval beauty or desecrate ing its great natural avenues with anything ions to detract from nature's unequaled adornment.

From the present attitude of congress it is safe to assume that a railroad will not be constructed this year.

American History in Figures. In looking back over the record of the last one hundred years the mind is startled by the changes which have taken place in the drift of population toward the Rocky mountains and in the various alterations which the growth of this country has brought about in our national geography.

At the time of Washington's inauguration the states belonging to the sisterhood of free and independent sovereigns and known as "the original thirteen," were scattered along the Atlantic coast. Nothing was known of that vast area extending from the Mississippi river to the Pacific ocean, while only a small part of the eastern domain could properly be characterized as familiar ground.

In 1790 the center of population, according to the tables of that period, was twenty-three miles east of the city of Baltimore. Ten years later this point had changed and was fixed at a dis tance of eighteen miles west of Baltimore, showing that bold, adventurous spirits had commenced to explore the interior of the continent and to bear the standard of civilization toward the Mississippi.

Coming down to 1820 the center of population was fixed at a point sixteen miles north of Woodstock, Va.; in 1840, sixteen miles south of Clarksburg, W. Va.; and in 1860, twenty miles south of Chillicothe, Ohio. During the decade between 1850 and 1860 the drift of population toward the west was accelerated by the discoveries of gold in California, and of silver in Colorado and other western territories. In 1890 the center of will not be deferred and that will not population was forty-eight miles west | be ignored. of Cineinnati, showing that a point had been reached in the progress of the nation at which the center of population was but a short distance removed from

the geographical center of the land. But these changes, while interesting to observe, are no less surprising than those which have taken place in the

stitution the states and territories, acording to population, stood as follows: riginia, 747.610; Pennsylvania, 434.373; North Carolina, 393,751; Massachusetts, 378,787; New York, 340,120; Maryland, 319,728; South Carolina, 249,073; Connecicut, 237,946; New Jersey, 184,139; New Hampshire, 141.885; Maine, 96,540; Ver nost, 85.425; Georgia, 82,548; Kentucky 3,677; Rhode Island, 68,825; Delaware, Tennessee, 35,691. The entire population of the country at that time ras scarcely 4,000,000, while that of the largest state was barely equal to the present size of Philadelphia.

During the sixty years which follow d the adoption of the constitution, nev states were admitted into the union and these rapidly advanced in population. Among this number were Illinois, Ohio Missouri, Indiana, Texas, Alabama, Ar kansas, Mississippi, California, Michigan and other states, all of which took righ rank. Virginia, though steadily in reasing in population, soon lost her place at the head of the column and gradually declined until she became the fifteenth state in the order of popula ion. New York displaced Virginia as he largest state, as far back as 1820, and has since occupied that position. In this connection it may be interest

ing to observe that the original thirteen states stand as follows, the entire union being considered in this calculation: New York, first; Pennsylvania, second Massachusetts, sixth: Georgia, twelfth Virginia, fifteenth; North Carolina, sixteenth; New Jersey, eighteenth; South Carolina twenty-third Maryland twenty-seventh; Connecticut, twenty-ninth; New Hampshire, thirty-third; Rhode Island, thirty-fifth; Delaware, forty-sec

In 1800 the population of the country averaged seven inhabitants to every square mile; in 1890 over twenty-one. Population is thickest in the District of Columbia, which has 3.839 to the square mile. Rhode Island comes next with 318 and Massachusetts with 278.

As the century draws to a close it is interesting to consider these figures, as they represent the numerical development of the greatest nation on earth,

Better Coast Protection.

The recent discussion of the Monroe doctrine on the floors of congress has resulted in the passage of a bill appropriating \$11,384,613 for the better protection of the const lines of the United States.

This is a step in the right direction Such legislation indicates a practical and patriotic sentiment and betrays a national solicitude far in excess of the ordinary measures which are passed by congress

Not only does this provision for the national defense give security to Americans at home, but it likewise increases the respect which is entertained for this nation abroad.

While the United States is one of the leading powers of the earth, the nations of Europe appreciate the fact that our coast lines are utterly without protection, and knowing this to be the case they are not dismayed by any declaration which congress sees fit to make But with fortifications along the coast. and every port under the protection of beavy guns, this show of indifference on the part of European nations would speedily be changed into one of pro-

No country can afford to assume defiant attitude without the provisions which are needed for hostile operations. Instead of exciting awe such a spec tacle only produces laughter. As soon as the improvements which are contemplated in the bill for the better im provement of our coast lines are carried out then will the United States be ready to assert the Monroe doctrine, and then will the nations of Europe be prepared

to listen to her declaration. The provisions of the bill are ample n character, and if carried out in detail under the inspection of competent supervisors, the United States will be thoroughly fortified against invasion.

As compared with former appropria tions the figures of the recent provision are significant. The following table will

Amount fortification act for 1889. \$3,972,000:0 The sum of money appropriated for the

protection of the coast lines this year is livided as follows: Gun and mortar batteries.... Sites for fortifications.... Preservation and repair of fortifi-

Plans for fortifications. Sea walls and embankments.

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Armament of fortifications.

Proving ground, Sandy Hook, N. J. Watertown arsenal, Mass...
Watervliet arsenal, Mass...
Benecia arsenal, Cal...
Ordnance and fortifications board
Fortress Monroe sewerage system 9,860

Total..... \$11,384,613 This provision of congress is remarkable, not only for the reason that no opposition was encountered on the passage of the bill, but for the more conclusive reason that public sentiment, as represented by the leading journals of the country, has indorsed the action of congress with unbroken unanimity.

The Democrats in Alabama.

The gold contractionists of Alabama are still making a desperate effort to win by connivance a victory that the people denied them at the ballot box. They are talking mightily about harmony, as if harmony is an affair to be conjured out of mere words and phrases. How can there be any real harmony between those who believe in democratic principles and those who believe in republican doctrines? The only way to secure harmony is to postpone, defer or ignore the disturbing issues; but both parties, and men of all shades of opinions are now brought face to face with an issue that will not be postponed, that

The democratic voters of Alabama hav demonstrated that they are unalterably opposed to the British gold standard. Mr. Clarke, the gold standard candidate for governor, made his campaign on that issue. He announced that he was opposed to the free coinage of silver. He declared in favor of the gold stand the con- ingly dissue he was overwhelm

democrats of Alabama, by their action in the primaries, have declared again, and n the most emphatic way, that they despise and abhor the scheme of the oney power which is represented by

the gold standard of value.

We have all confidence in the demo ratic leaders of Alabama who have recently been indorsed by the people, but it is an easy matter even, for wise and patriotic men to be too magnanimous, especially on the heels of such an overwhelming victory. As we have said before, any compromise of the principles of democracy is entirely too high a price to pay for "harmony." When harmony goes to the point of permitting the gold contractionists to share the fruits of the victory which the people have won, it ceases to be harmony and becomes

This fact is to be borne in mind constantly-that the democratic party of Alabama would be more powerful and more harmonious if the people knew that every gold contractionist had gone over to the republicans who are the original gold monometallists. For, in that event, every dissatisfied democrat in the state-and there are thousands of them-would return to his party allegiance and there would be no divisions and no contending factions

Under the liberal call of the state ommittee, based on the equally liberal invitation of the national committee, a great many democrats, who have for some time held themselves aloof from their party, or who have been acting with the followers of Kolb, came back into the organization and served to swell Johnston's majority. Now, to keep and hold these men in the party and to put an end to the factions that have had their growth in discontent, the democrats must insist in the legitimate

fruits of their victory.

A divided delegation to Chicago will be in effect a victory for the gold contractionists, for it will reduce the influence of the state of Alabama to a cipher in the national convention and rob the triumph of the democrats of its national importance. With a divided delegation to Chicago the democratic party of Alabama will be powerless to aid the free coinage men of the country to win a victory over the agents of the money power.

More than this, it will be a practical surrender to the gold contractionists and will have the effect of disguising and driving out of the party thousands of men who are not willing to subvert democratic principles to party names.

There is but one course for the gen uine democrats of Alabama to pursue. and that is to insist on genuine demoratic principles. No compromises should be made with those who believe in republican doctrine. The issue is to mportant-too vital. If the cuckoos and the gold contractionists want harmony et them pay the price that is always exacted of uninfluential minorities in this republic. That price is good-humored ubmission to the will of the majorit fully and fairly expressed.

If courtesy demands that the gold ontractionists should have representaives on the delegation let their mouths e closed by the unit rule, to the end that emocratic principles shall prevail and he will of the honest democratic voters of Alabama be faithfully carried out.

Defying the Law.

vising methods for the punishment of crime is shown by a strange and somewhat amusing story which comes from

Several months ago the postoffice of icials of that place became satisfied of the fact that some one was using the mails for the purpose of sending out forbidden circulars. After a most thorname of James G. Wilson was arrested and brought before the district judge for trial. As the result of this hearing he was sent to the county jail for a term of six months

Even though convicted and with the nim, the prisoner was resolved not to be outwitted, and he conceived the idea of carrying on his business without interruption after becoming a resident of the jail. Accordingly, he asked for writing material, which the jailer could not refuse to bring him; and, without delay or ceremony, he penned the following advertisement which made its appearance a few days later in one of the New York napers:

Agents-Start a mail-order business: big returns and no capital required. Address envelope to James G. Wilson, 595 Newark Avenue, Jersey City.

Those who read this advertisement were not aware of the fact that 595 Newark avenue stood for the county fail and that James G. Wilson was a convicted criminal. Consequently a number of letters found their way into the jail and the prisoner was kept busy in attending to his correspondence.

Under the rules of the prison there can be no interference with letters addressed to inmates, and while it was evident to the officials that something was wrong nothing could be done to prevent the correspondence from going on. In reply to each letter which the prisoner receives he makes a request for the sum of \$1, which he requires before going into details as to the purpose of

he advertisement. If this story is to be relied upon there is something woefully deficient in the administration of the law. Surely there must be some legal process for preventing a criminal from doing what a law abiding citizen is not allowed to do, and for putting a stop to such money making schemes as this behind the walls

of a prison. In the meantime, however, while the lawyers are poring over the statutes the prisoner is deriving a handsome revenue from his advertisement. If this story is true it may be well said: "Oh, justice what a mockery."

No Danger if There Is No Scandal. Senator Hill is one of the most inter esting of the obstacles that have been placed in the way of the resolution to investigate the dealings of the treasury department with the gold syndicates that have been forcing bond issues and buying bonds at a tremendous discount after they were issued.

Naturally, the people would like to know why the secretary of the treasury was willing to permit a coterie of British bankers to take a block of government bonds for \$12,000,000 less than their market price. Mr. Hill, however, in placing himself in the way of the proposed investigation, practically takes the ground that the people of the country have no right to inquire into their own affairs or to discover whether the agents they employ, and to whom they pay heavy salaries, have faithfully discharg-

ed their duties. In the course of his remarks, Thurs day, he said: "The object of the resolution is to disseminate scandal."

If there is no scandal native to these transactions, then the resolution cannot disseminate scandal. On the contrary, its effect will be to put an end to suspi cions scandalous in their nature, that are afloat in the public mind.

Senator Hill should know-we are sorry for him if he does not know-that the object of resolutions of investigations is not to disseminate scandal, but to discover whether there is any ground for suspicions that a scandal exists-to discover the truth as far as possible and declare it to the world.

Two or three years ago Senator Hill declared, in a letter which was printed in the newspapers by his consent, that the year 1896 was the year for the demoeratic party to declare for bimetallism and make silver an issue. He said furthermore, some time before then, that the party could carry New York on that issue. At present Mr. Hill is as extreme howler for "sound" money-which is

the single gold standard of value. Comment is unnecessary. We intend ed simply to call the senator's attention to the fact that in his zeal he has totally misconceived the purport of the resolution of investigation.

It Comes High.

The republicans of North Dakota are rying to go up and come down the same ladder at the same time, and the result is that their heads are as badly tangled as their feet.

In their convention at Fargo they de clare like good republicans for the gold standard and denounce the democrats or issuing bonds. As a matter of fact, the democrats have issued no bonds, for the democratic congress in 1894 not only refused to authorize bond issues, but the democratic committee of the house made a report in which it declared that the onds issued by Cleveland and Carlisle were of doubtful legality.

At the same time, it is to be hoped that the Dakota republicans are not too stupid to understand that the gold standard comes high and that the people must pay the price. If the gold standard is to be maintained, bonds oust be issued-not only that, the redundant paper currency must be retired. The currency is not redundant so far as the needs of the people are concerned, but it is out of all proportion redundant in comparison to the small stock of gold available or likely

to be available for redemption purposes. Therefore it follows that if the single old standard is to be maintained, the treasury department, legally or illegally, nust go into the market and buy the gold necessary to maintain it. The only way the treasury can buy it is to pay a premium for it in the shape of interestearing bonds. That is the price the people have to pay for the single gold standard.

But it is only a small part of price. What it costs may be estimated by counting up the billions of dollars the producers of the country have lost by the fall in prices-what the business, manufacturing and industrial interests have lost by reason of depression and the practical annihilation of market de-

mands. Now, if the people don't like it, let them join with the democratic party and aid ough and diligent search a man by the in the patriotic work of destroying the single gold standard. If they do like it, let them join the republican party and uphold it.

General George P. Harrison complains that "the bars were let down" in Alabaprospect of a long incarceration before | ma. We respectfully refer this complaint to Chairman Harrity. What the gold contractionists desire is to make a close corporation of the democratic party-a syndicate controlled by a few

federal office holders. The Washington Post says that the gold standard men of Alabama "are insisting on an elongated death-bed scene." Yes, they want to see if the democrats propose to contribute any flowers to the funeral. If the democrats are wise they will nail down the coffin and hustle it to the grave yard without delay.

And Editor Godkin up'd and remarked that the silver question was dead!

There are hints that the gold contract tionists propose to "convert" the free silver delegates before the Chicago convention is opened with prayer. They really think the free coinage men will sell out or permit themselves to be bulldozed! Alas! how ignorant!

The New York preacher who stole his sermon evidently thought that unity should prevail in his profession as i does among the doctors.

A Hoboken man who was caught hug ging his wife was sent to jail. When will husbands in Hoboken and that re gion learn to attend to their business and not disturb their neighbors?

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The Chicago Record in speaking of the picture of Mr. Frank L. Stanton, which ap peared in a recent issue of The Bohemian says: "The frontispiece of The New Bo emian Magazine for April is a portrait the Georgia poet, Frank L. Stanton. We observe that when the poet had this photograph taken he fixed his eyes upon the northwest corner of the ceiling of the room as if he was expecting to there see the as if he was expecting to there see the evening star. His overcoat collar is turned up behind, giving a kind of Mary Queer of Scots appearance to the background of his neck. His necktie is a negligee sor of an affair arranged with precision as to serve in Mr. Stanton's verse anything tha would warn us to prepare for the drapery

of this photograph. Paris has at length decided to hold Paris has at length decided to hold a world's fair in 1900, and to make it the grandest civic display that the world has ever witnessed. Before preparing the grounds or beginning the buildings for the exhibition a sum of four million francs is to be spent in beautifying the parks and open spaces and in creating new breathing places in the city. The Bois de Boulogne and the Bois de Vincen nes will be put in order; additional rows of trees will be planted in the Avenue des Champs Elysees from the Arc de Triomphe to the Rond Point, so as to make the ave-nue look like a continuation of the Bois de Boulogne brought to the Place de la Con-corde and the entrance to the exhibition grounds; the trocadero gardens and foun ains will be restored to the condition i which they were before the last exhibition all over Paris, in Belleville, Montmartre the Faubourg Saint Antoine, the Gobelins, green spots will be created in the public quares and in new squares to be made, Paris is to be made attractive to the visitor

have gone. Referring to Dr. Cleveland's ejection from the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Chaumont, The New York Tri-bune gives the following explanation of that affair:

"During the Cleveland campaign of 1892 Mr. Cleveland became very enthusiastic in Mr. Cleveland became very enthusiastic in support of his brother, and his utterances from the pulpit in support of the latter's principles and theories led to the trouble which resulted in his removal today. He was much admired by his congregation until he began preaching democratic sentiments. Part of the congregation took offense at this, and soon there were two factions in the church. Mr. Cleveland continued to preach in a manner that was obinued to preach in a manner that was oxious to many of the churchgoers. ongregation held a meeting and a vote was aken. It was decided by a large majority ask the presbytery to remove him. etition was sent to the presbytery las and a committee was appointed to Chaumont and settle the dispute. patched up the differences, and the Mr. Cleveland and his flock promised to forgive and forget and live in peace in the future. But like his brother, the Rev. Mr. Cleveland has a will of his own and does not like to be dictated to. Soon the breach was as wide as it ever had been. The presbytery met in Watertown today. The church people at Chaumont presented papers giving their 'findings' on the subject, and they were referred to a committee. The committee's report stated that it was plain that under present conditions the two parties could not be reconciled, nor the differences harmonized, and that, inasmuch as Mr. Cleveland preferred to throw the responsibility upon the presbytery it was recommended that the relations now existing be dissolved. The committee added a paragraph expressing its appreciation of Cleveland and his flock promised isting be dissolved. The committee a paragraph expressing its appreciation of the high Christian character of the Rev Mr. Cleveland and regretting the necessity

n the case. The Times-Democrat is authority for the statement that Queen Victoria has become a resident of France, according to the official returns of that empire: Victoria was in France the other day French census was taken, her name will be included among the residents of France. A London paper points out tha nany other royal persons will also be regstered in the schedules. Among them are the prince of Wales, Princess Beatrice, the king of the Belgians and Princess Clemenine, the dowager empress of Russia, the czarowitz, the Grand Duke Michael. Grand Duke Alexis, the Grand Duchess Olga, the duke of Leuchtenberg, the grand duchess of Mecklenberg-Schwerin, and sev-

WHAT THE PAPERS ARE TALKING ABOUT.

Must Take a Back Seat.

From The Carrollton Free Press. The unreliability of The Atlanta Journal as a prophet is shown in the recent primary election in Alabama. On Saturday, the day of the primaries in that state, on would judge from reading its pages that the thing was all one way, everything for Clarke, the administration candidate for governor. But lo and behold! when the news came the reverse was true-every thing was for Johnston, the silver candi date, he' beating Clarke, who had the vast patronage of the administration to back him, over two to one. The Journal car now take a rear seat as a prophet, or rather as a correct purveyor of news. It may be a pretty good goldbug organ, but as a newspaper, it is no good. It should not et its prejudices get away with it so.

An Incentive To Work. From The Columbus Ledger.

The fact that Judge Crisp's physical condition has become such as to make it necessary for him to return to Washing ton is regretted by his friends' throughou the state, and since he cannot be in the state for the present, his absence is an incentive to his friends to work for him all the harder.

The reception of Judge Crisp by Georgia lemocrats during his recent visit to the state, has never been exceeded in enthusiasm by that given any candidate for

any office in Georgia in years. The people recognize the fact that th principle of which Judge Crisp is an ad ocate is one that involves their welfar to a great extent. They realize that without its enactment into legislation, the financial affairs of the great majority of the people have reached the lowest point in the history of this country, and that, despite the protest and the efforts of thos who are interested in, and who profit by the present condition of finances, that they must rise in their power and secure then selves from still further financial disaster In this work the people have a bold able and experienced leader in Judge Crisp for whose election to the United States senate, his friends in Georgia will worl more earnestly because he cannot be with

Can Stand It if They Can.

From The Putnam Herald. A few of the gold standard papers a engaged in trying to belittle Mr. Crist before the people. Such a demagoguery will only serve to elevate the ex-speake and next senator in the minds of the peo ple. Mr. Crisp can stand their flings ! they can afford to engage in such little work.

Where Politics Is Hot. From The Dublin Courier.

We are reliably informed that politic has gotten into such a state in our sister county, Wilkinson, that men go armed, even to the superior court, not knowing at what minute an outbreak will occur. Heaven save Laurens from such troubles, Wilinson and Screven are a disgrace to the fair name of Georgia.

A Savannah Suggestion.

From The Savannah News. It has been suggested that Mr. C. Collier will run for mayor of Atlanta on the reputation he made in the management of the Atlanta exposition. If suc cessful work for the exposition is to be the test for the mayoralty, without detracting in the least from the good services of Mr. Collier, it may be suggested that the most gratifying success of the whole show was achieved under the auspices of Mrs. Thompson.

Why Are the "Managers" for Him, Then?

From The Philadelphia Bulletin.
The trouble with Tom Reed as a presidential aspirant is that he has too much brain, and, at the same time, as a politician, too much contempt for the little tricks of the game of party managemen The political managers are afraid of his way of having his own way, and the people, while they like him, have a lurking SAID TO BE THE INSING

OF THE RECENT LETTER WRIT-ING PROCESSION

About Senatorial Primaries-An Interesting Story Which Throws Light on the Sifuation.

polities have been watched with considerable interest here and have created no wherever he may go and is to remain at-ractive for the Parisians when the visitors little comment. First the letter of Chairman Clay, as published in The Constitu tion, then the letter of Governor Atkinson on the same line, and then, in quick succession, the letter of Mr. du Bignon iwelling upon "snap action" in the effort to make it appear that somebody was trying to take undue advantage of him. Mr. duBignon is not only a good lawyer, but he is a sharp, shrewd politician and knows how to take advantage of every point that can be turned to his benefit. It might be thought by a great many that after the Clay and Atkinson letters he saw his opportunity for a lift in the waves they created and before giving them time to subside he plunged in, in order to still further stir the waters. This surmise is all right as far as it goes, but back of all these developments it will be found that an adroit hand has been at work which, if the truth were known, would make evident the fact that a great many hings have been going on which offer even deeper suggestions for surmise than that above given.

Could "Hear the Grass Grow." A representative of The Constitution met well-known gentleman from Savannah today-a man who is fully acquainted with the political situation, who is a close observer and who, in the vernacular of political parlance, has such a close eye and such a sharp ear on things political that "he can hear the grass grow." He was here in Waycross stopping over "between trains" and conversation with him soon brought up the subject of the Clay letter

which was published that morning. "Yes," said he, "I have been looking for t two or three days because I had been informed in Savannah that it would be written; and now let me tell you something in confidence, that letter will followed by another from Governor Atkinson and then will come one from Mr. duBignon. They may be a day apart or a week apart, but mark what I tell you, they will all come in due time.'

"You don't mean," said the correspon dent, "that there has been any prearranged plan-"

"No, I don't mean anything of the kind. am just telling you what I have heard and what is going to happen, and if things do not turn out as I predict then I will admit that I am a political sand crab and will make no more political predictions this year."

Senatorship Not Involved.

"How is the senatorship involved in the outcome of your predictions?" "That is another question." said he. "and t has nothing to do with the thing of which I am talking, as far as Mr. Clay and Governor Atkinson are concerned. Governor Atkinson will write his letter and t will be inspired simply by his desire to get out the biggest possible vote in the fall elections, for as the certain nominee of the party he is naturally vitally in terested in that, and I know what I am saying when I tell you that he has been brown into a state of alarm about the outlook. His anxiety is naturally reflected on Chairman Clay, who is the head of the arty organization, and this honest anxety to avert impending clouds is the cause of the developments of which I am

relating." "What is the ground of that anxiety?"

This Is the Story. "Ah, now, that brings up the whole story and it shows the work of the adroit hand to which I have referred. Let us look into the situation and see if we cannot throw some light on the subject. There, for instance, is Mr. duBignon, can didate for the senate on a platform which he knows is opposed by an overwhelming majority of the masses of the people of the state. Then there is Governor Atkinson, who is certain to be nominated for governor, the election for which does no take place until the 7th of October. Now, if you were a candidate for the senate on a platform which you knew did not have the approval of a majority of the democratic voters of the state you would naturally be in favor of delaying a test of the question at the ballot box just as long as possible, wouldn't you? Now, that is the way Mr. duBignon's friends reason it. They saw that county after county was ordering a senatorial primary on the 6th of June and that unless something was done to stem the tide the whole question would be settled on that day and that free coinage would sweep the state. Unortunately those who agree with Mr. du-Bignon's views on the financial question could do nothing to stop the rushing torrent and as a dernier resort it was determined that there must be some pointical by-play to stop the 6th of June action, or that the jig would be up before it was begun. Naturally the next step was to reach some influence greater than their own, by which matters could be shaped to this end. Then it was that it was agreed that the best thing to do was to figuratively put fire on the back of Governor Atkinson by what was really nothing more nor less than a process of intimidation. Proceedings were instituted in this manner: One after another of Mr. duBignon's friends in the wiregrass counties of the eleventh district, and some in the first, began to write Governor Atkinson that the outlook was squally. These letters were sent him, not only from the first and the eleventh districts, but from gold men all over the state, the currency contraction democrats acting in harmon; with the plan agreed upon. They legan to pour in letters on the governor telling him that if something was not done things

would go to the eternal bow-wows in the October election. One after another such letters were sent in, each advising the governor that the only way to keep up party enthusiasm on both sides was to carry the senatorial fight to the day of the regular election, when it could be settled by a democratic primary, thus forcing both sides of the senatorial contention t vote for the state ticket. At first the governor paid little attention to the matter, but so numerous did these letters become that he became frightened at the unanimity with which the gold men were intimating a bolt in the event that they were defeated in the June primaries. It was soon observed that the plan was working well and three days before Chairman Clay wrote his letter it was stated in Savannah that both he and G-wormer Atkinson would be forced to take positions against the June primaries. The alarm of the governor was real and the maneu-

ver of those who had been end get him to help them out of the pres-ment of a June senatorial primary, was out his knowing it, had been effective

Not Suggestive. "Then you don't think that the one, three order of these letters are suggest of any personal favoritism for the sens or any movement with that in view "By no means," said your correspondent's informant. "It is well understood that both Governor Atkinson and Chal-Waycross, Ga., April 16.-The develpments of the past few days in state man Clay are open and avowed advocate of free coinage, and of course they would nothing which would have the effective of defeating the cause. Ther are h sincerely in earnest in their position and what they have done and said has emply been as the result of the fear of a bet and with the hope of averting it."

"What do the gold men hope to gain by delaying the senatorial primaries until 00-"Heaven only knows, I don't," sald my informant. "They know that they would be doomed in June and they think it will be the same in October, but they has that something, anything, might, Micar. ber-like, turn up between now and October to save them. It is simply the cying man's grasp at a straw—the doomed man's plea for one day's respite in the hope that providence may interfere in his behalf that, if nothing else happens, even the end of the world might come in the meantime."

Supplementary!

Jesup, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)—A communication was mailed The Constitutes vesterday from Waycross giving the result of an interview with a political

server from Savannah. Strange to say we both took train at Waycross and chanced to meet in Jesup today, he being on business bent and your correspondent moving about likewise. On meeting me today at the of the morning papers, saying:

"There you are; there is Governor Attis-son's letter published yesterday afteron-and reproduced this morning, and here is Mr. duBignon's letter published the Mr. duBignon's letter published his morning. What I have said is simply a chapter of political history, and as I in not in politics except as an observer, I de manner whatsoever, but if the story worth using you can have it.'

Daniel on Jefferson,

From The Cincinnati Enquirer. Senator John W. Daniel, of Virginia is the hero of the hour in eloquence. Noth ing that has been said in a year or more approaches his speech at Monticello last Monday. It is eminently fitting that Monday. It is enimently great an address was devoted to so great a man as Thomas Jefferson. It is so full of gems that it is difficult to make selections, but let us plunge the scissors in anywhere. Here is what we get at ran-

dom:

"Yonder at Keswick was he born. These mountains, these fields, these forests, these murmuring streams, the birds, the flocks, the herds, and above them the azure heavens and the stars—these were his first and his lifelong teachers. And in the free air of this beautiful countryside nature wispered to his spirit, and from her pure, free promptings he became that which was most of all in his history—a democrat.
"And above all the many Jeffersons we see the scholar, the writer, the architect, the scientist, the inventor, the linguist, the mathematician, there is one Jefferson greater than them all—Jefferson the democrat—from the ground up, every lach a

erat-from the ground up, every inch lemocrat, and he was over six feet tall. democrat, and he was over six feet tall.
"He was the greatest democrat that ever lived. He infected the populace with the epidemic of free thought. He set the woods on fire with democratic doctrines. He gave the people the rugged maxims hewn from life which kindled their thoughts and winged their arrows."

And here is a peroration which les

the reader wishing it might never end: "It is in the heart that democracy orn, and it was there that it was ke warm and strong and pure by Jeffers bying without a penny, his very bool warm and strong and pure by Jefferson Dying without a penny, his very books, his land, his home, were sold away from the inheritors, and, fighting successfully in every battle but his own, he crowned the people as victor in every battle that he won. If a man wants to get all he can out of this life by torturing its laws and burdening its people to fill his pockets, let him curse the name of Jefferson. Let him eat and drink and be merry in his time, and trample on democracy and its teachings. But if he wants a man's chance in life, and that only; if he means 'live and let live;' if he seeks a wise and frugal government, and would not 'rob the mount of labor of the bread which it has earned: if he loves his neighbor as himself; if he is ready to give equal and exact justice to all men, and special privileges to none; if it is rights that he demands, and not favors that he sues for; if he does not believe that one part of man was born saddled and bridled, and the other part booted and spurred to ride them: if he does not believe that 'liberty is the gift of God'—then let him pluck a flower from this good man's life and wear it in his soul forever."

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Blessed is the man who, in such well chosen words, in a time of political degeneracy like the present, characterizes the man who made the first plea for the comnon people, and carried his point in the

organization of our great government. Prosperous Mexico.

From The Nashville Sun. The advocates of the gold standard have been pointing to Mexico as a horrible ex-ample of the effects of the free and unlimited coinage of silver, and many peo-ple who read little, and know less, have pictured in their imaginations the terrible insequences of such a financial polici to this country. The state papers of Mex-ico, and the newspapers of that republic, both concur with the statements of intelligent and well informed Americans who have visited Mexico, in the statement that

in her history. In his recent message, President Diaz says:

"The dangers which some time ago threatened our financial situation, having happily passed away, the department of finance has been able to devote itself without anxlety to projects of mere administrative improvement.

"The day of deficits in the national revenue has departed, let us hope, never to return. Now, on the other hand, the revenue has considerably exceeded the estimates, and during the first half of the current fiscal year the receipts of the nation were \$2,000,000 in excess of its expenditures."

enditures."
Contrast this statement of the presiden of the republic of Mexico with the actual condition in the United States today. While "the day of deficits in the national While "the day of deficts in the national revenue of Mexico has departed," and the receipts in the first six months of the present year were two million dollars in excess of the expeditures, the United States added one hundred million dollars to its bonded debt in the same time, and there is a daily recurring deficit in our treasury. These facts and all the gold standard arguments and theories that cun be invented by the brainiest advocates of that policy in this country and Europe cannot overthrow or refute them. Under the curse of the British gold standard prices in this country have fallen one-half, enterprise is crippled or dead, progress has stopped, capital has congested in the money centers, labor is idle or working on reduced wayes, the rich are growing rapidly poorer, and the poor are growing rapidly poorer, and the people of the greatest and richest nation in the world are reduced to a condition where one crop failure would produce revolution. On the other hand, a Mexican dollar will buy as much in Mexico or anywhere else in the

The Power of Persuasion.

From the "Letters of Matthew Arnold."

Partly nature, partly time and study have also by this time taught me thoroughly the precious truth that everything turns upon one's exercising the power of persuasion, of charm: that without this all fury, energy, reasoning power, requirement, are thrown away and only render their owner more miserable. Hiven in one's ridicule one must preserve a sweetness and good humor.

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He Was a Captain in the Former Rebel War-Dr. Tichenor Issues an

will the valuable property of the American Baptists in Cuba be confiscated? The arrest of Alberto J. Diaz, the repre-



those interested in the Christian the property of the Baptists is by no means safe. The Spanish government may

pits more than once and having many personal friends here. Not later than last October he was the guest of Dr. E. L. Connolly, of whom he is an intimate riend.

friend.

As one of the missionaries of the home insisted board of the Southern Baptist convention. Dr. Diaz has change of all their property in Cuba as well as being fat the head of the other missionaries.

The telegrams received by Dr. Tichenor yesterday announcing the arrest of Dr. Diaz, while it came unexpectedly, was not a surprise. The exact cause of the arrest is not known, but those who know Diaz and his history entertain grave fears for his safety.

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Dr. Tichenor said yesterday:

"Owing to the unsatisfactory means of communication with Cuba we are unable to learn the cause leading to the arrest of Diaz.

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"I do not believe, however, it can be any serious or just cause. Even if he were inclined to become connected with the insurgents, which he is not, he is a man of wonderful tact and brain and would not for many reasons do anything that might compromise himself or endanger his work and his trust.

"He was a captain in the last rebellion and since that time has been looked on as an enemy by the Catholic authorities.

"I was in Havana during last January and had a talk with Diaz then, in which I advised him to leave, as I considered it unsafe for him. At a meeting of all the missionaries I advised them all to leave as soon as they considered their lives in danger. I deemed it especially advisable that Diaz should leave, for he was being watched then by spies, and I have no doubt that spies watched my actions also, as I was seen with him often.

"He is such a fesrless and ardent worker, though, that he would not leave till he had gotten all the others off and made arrangements about the property in his care."

The last letter received from Diaz was dated March 25th and was as follows:

"Havana, Cuba, March 25, 1896.—Dr. I. T. Thehenor. Dear Sir: Last week I wrote a letter to Brother Dunson, in care of Brother Cova—he may carry the two letters because he could not get out last week. I leave in the neighborhood of Cova a female teacher, and she may gather the children every day and the female congregation every Sunday night. The same thing is done in O'Halloran's place. With this plan we only need in the female congregation every Sunday night. The same thing is done in O'Halloran's place. With this plan we only need in the female congregation every sunday night.

The same thing is done in O'Halloran's place. With this plan we only need in the future to continue the work instead of beginning.

"Last week I was in the country about wixty miles from Havana with the purpose to find an American citizen named Mr. Delgado, who was shot by the Spanish troops. I find him and practice on him the first cure; the man is all right today—he has two shots in the hips and over six wounds with a sword in the head. I carry him through the insurgents' line and place him in Prado, Havana No. 5.

"I also cut off an arm of a poor old man sixty-five years old named Pina and ordered to be buried over six dead bodies remaining that were placed in the road. I did this as a member of the Red Cross.

"Will write you longer next boat. Yours in Christ.

When Dr. Tichenor was in Havana he had a talk with Diaz regarding the protection of the Baptists' property and it was decided that it should be put in the hands of a prominent citizen there who is an American and could watch over it after Diaz had left. It is probable that delay in getting this matter arranged caused Diaz to remain too long and hence his arrest.

Whether or not the property of which Diaz had charge of has been transferred to the care of some one else is now known. But it is not likely that it will be confiscated or harmed, owned as it is by an organization back of which stand a million and a half American citizens.

The Baptist church in Havana is one of the most valuable pieces of property in the city: being also one of the largest it would serve admirably as an armory for the Spaniards in case they should confiscate it. It was formerly a theater and was purchased for \$55,000 in Spanish money, or about \$90,000 in American gold. It is every large building, the lower floor being used as stores and being quite a source of revenue to the church. Besides this property, will amount to over \$300,000. The care of this property is no small responsibility in times of peace, but now that it is on the midst of such a destructive war it becomes

words:

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"This startling intelligence brings the board face to face with the gravest difficulty of its history. Diaz has been in jail before, but then the charges against him were trivial. If he had been found guilty the penalty would not have involved life or liberty. Then there was profund peace upon the island, and partisanism did not forture into crimes the careless words of familiar conversation, or base a charge of treason upon the loose expressions found in a letter to a friend. "Widely different are the conditions prevailing now. The Spanish authority in Cuba is shaken to its foundation. Cuban men and women are fighting against a tyranny more dreadful to them than death, and for liberty dearer to them than life. The Spaniards have repudlated their ablest commander because of his justice and his moderation, and have supplied his place by the most bloodthirdsty and cruel





BAPTIST CHURCH IN HAVANA.

be that unless our government speedily interferes he will be made to suffer and

seize the property. The arrest in Havana of Dr. Alberto Jose Diaz, which was announced in resterday's Constitution, is a matter of anusual interest to the Baptists of Atlanta, and in fact, the entire south.

Dr. Diaz is well known in Atlanta, having preached from several Baptist pul-

of all the Spanish leaders: suspicion is tantamount to conviction of crime. The horrors of Spanish prisons are augmented a hundred fold by the multitudes of their diseased, vermin-infested, half-starved inmates. Justice, always delayed in Spanish courts, has fied the land, and nothing but the strong arm of foreign power can preserve even citizeas of other countries from the passion-prompted sentences of its partisan tribunals. We cannot shut our eyes to the fact that the life of our Brother Diaz is in great jeopardy. Not simply from the danger of conviction for the alleged offense, but from the greater danger of the protracted and torturing imprisonment he may be called to endure. "The board will not stop to vindicate its action in regard to its missionaries in Cuba further than to say that it has taken every presible precarition for their safety. Assued that Dias was in more danger than any of the others, the board has been especially solicitous for him, and could he have acted upon the suggestion made him he would not have remained within the limits of Spanishauthority. But he could not He no doubt felt it to be his duty to see the others safely off the island before he should so. Their departure was detayed by some unknown cause. O'Halloran, the last to leave, salled from Havana Wednesday, the 15th. That night, or the next day, Diaz was arrested. In the last letter received from him he said he was perfecting arrangements for the care of our property in his absence. The evidence before us points to the committed to him by the board that induced the delay that resulted in his arrest. "For months communication with our missionaries has been difficult and hazardous. They were objects of suspicion because of their religious faith and practice. It is understood that all letters were subject to inspection at the Havana postoffice. Under the prevailing conditions the most innocent expression relating to our nission work in the excited minds of the Spanish authorities might be transformed into words indicating rebellion and treason. Every letter we sent to Havana might engender suspicion that would result in the imprisonment of our missionaries, and every letter they sent to us might be fraught with similar consequences. Hence we do not know why Diaz delayed so long in Havana. We only know our brother is in prison, and we must help him. "For months communication with our mis-

him.

"Arrangements must be made to care for him while in prison. He will not dare to eat or drink anything furnished by the prison authorities. He must have such comforts as the common jails of Havana do not contain. His health suffered greatly from his last imprisonment, though it was briet. Protracted imprisonment now will endanger his life.

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"It was the horror of a Burman prison that broke down the health of Judson, and brought him so near the grave. It was the dungeon in which Herod contined John the Baptist that staggered the faith of the forerunner and led him who in triumphant tones cried, "Behold the Lamb of God!" to inquire in timid and doubting accent, "Art thou He that should come, or look we for another?" And Diaz is flesh and blood as were they. He will need expressions of sympathy from all his brethren who have assigned him to that post of duty and of danger. He has honored them by a life of devotion to their cause surpassed by none among the living or the dead.

"Let every Baptist in the south, man, woman or child, be among those of whom Diaz can say, "I was sick and in prison and ye ministered unto me." Let there not be one who shall fail to honor himself by some token of sympathy and love to him with whom God has honored our denomination.

"We are tempted to ask if any will not respond to the needs of such a man, what suffering, what distress can move his heart, or what calamity smiting the soul of a child of God would draw forth from one so callous evidence that the love of God dwells in him?"

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lous evidence that the love of God dwells in him?

"The imprisonment of Brother Diaz will impose unlooked-for expenses on the board. Not only must he be cared for, but so must his family. The expenses of a trial which Spanish courts well know how to make exceedingly burdensome. Attorney's services—and he must have the best—will not be small. Nothing must be spared that will mitigate the suffering or spare the life of our brother. Money is valueless when counted against the life of such a man. We ask that every church connected with the Southern Baptist convention take immediately a special collection for this purpose. In this general movement of our people there is a strong element of safety to our brother. It will strengthen him. It will cheer his prison days. It will enable him to resist disease and maintain his vital power.

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"If Havana could know that ten thousand Baptist churches, by one concerted movement, swelled a fund for Diaz's protection and freedom, how that would hold back the threatened blow and change the purpose to destroy. How it would affect our authorities at home to know that a million and a half of Baptists were in earnest in their efforts to save a man so honored of God—a star of the first magnitude umong the missionary heroes of the world.

"What influence and power it would give them for all coming time to protect and promote the missionaries of their faith in every land and on every shore. Diaz's imprisonment is God's call to the churches of the south to arise and shake off the dust of sloth and act for his deliverance, for God's cause and for their own honor, in a manner worthy of themselves, worthy of the king they adore and of the gospel which they must give to all the nations.

"What though ten times that which is needed for these purposes should be contributed by our churches? It would be but a garnered supply from which to equip other soldiers of the cross who will re-enforce God's conquering host on that island.

"We are committed to this work. Our hands are upon the plow; we cannot look back. Diaz may perish in prison or die by the hands of the exeuctioner, but Cuba must be spiritually free. The mouth of the Lord hats spoken it. I. T. Tichenor.

"Atlanta Ge. April 17, 1996."

SHORTAGE TO BE SETTLED

Aerangements Said To Be on Foot To

Make Good the Amount

In the Meantime the Investigation Is Being Continued.

MAY BE PAID THIS WEEK

EXPERTS ARE WORKING ON THE BOOKS

A Statement Showing a Shortage in 1886 Was Discovered Yesterday by Mr. Forrest Adair.

The shortage of ex-County Clerk John Tyler Cooper will probably be paid into the treasury of the county within the next few days and the suits which have been against Mr. Cooper and his bondsmen will then be not prossed by the board of county

made by either Mr. Cooper or the board f commissioners, it was rumored yesterlay that a relative of Mr. Cooper from Montgomery had been in the city with a view of settling the shortage and dismissing the litigation which has arisen over the matter. Whether this report is true or not will be developed within the next day or two.

Notwithstanding the rumor of an effort being made to settle the cases, County Atorney Rosser has stated that he will file another suit against Mr. Cooper and his ondsmen for the years in which the shortage appears to have occurred. One suit has already been filed against Mr. Cooper and J. P. Chisholm and the estate of Sam B. Hoyt, as bondsmen, in the sum of

The investigation of the books and acon until the entire record has been examined and every entry has been carefully investigated. The experts who were em ployed for previous examinations have been seen by the commissioners and it is probable that they will be asked to make review of their work in order to ascertain if the discrepancies reported to the board of previous years was correct.

An Old Statement Brought to Light. Yesterday morning as Mr. Forrest Adair was looking through the books of the coun ty he discovered a report which was made by Expert Accountants A. L. Waldo and W. T. Wall, who were employed by the county to make an investigation of the ac-

commissioners. This report was made for the year 1880 and shows a balance due the county by Clerk Cooper of \$998.37. The statement in detail is as follows and is recorded in minutes book "U," pages 607 and 610, s on record in the office of Clerk of the Superior Court G H Tanner:

tax digest 1884, \$401.40. "Collected from W. A. Powell for error in tax digest 1885, \$690.32. "To the Commissioners of Roads and Revenues-We find the financial affairs of

the office as follows:
"Balance on hand September 1, 1884, as per report of former committee, \$771.15, "Received from liquor licenses, \$1.525, "Received from show licenses, \$258. "Received from sale of stone and old fur-

'Total treasurer, \$300, leaving a balance of and receipts consolidated, \$1,322.58, leaving

a balance in hands of the county clerk of commissions of \$972.17." Statement of estray funds as follows: Statement of estray funds as follows:
"Balance September I, 1884, as per report of former committee, \$96. Received from sale of estrays net, \$14.50, making a total of \$110.50. Less net deficit \$9.30 and paid school commissioner September 11, 1896, \$76. making a total of \$44.30, which leaves a balance of \$26.20, which added to the balance of \$72.17, makes a total of \$98.37."

This report was made to the grand jury, it is said, and was signed by A. L. Waldo and W. T. Wall, expert accountants.

Says There Was Loose Management.

Mr. Forrest Adair said yesterday that loose management had characterized the history of the board for quite a while back, and he was only trying to unravel the records and demand the amount of money which was due the county. "I am working simply to see that the county gets what is due it, and when that is completed I will be satisfied, but not until that is done." is completed I will be satisfied, but not until that is done."

The investigation will be carried on until the books are brought up to date and the county receives every dollar due.

A CURIOUS DEATH.

A Negro Woman, Seized with a Terrible Pain, Dies Suddenly.

Mary Jane Carter, a negro woman abou fifty years old, died very suddenly yester day afternoon between 1 and 2 o'clock. Some time during the morning her place of boarding, which is at 77½ South Broad street, was inspected by the fire inspector. She had a stove in the room that was set up in such a manner that it did not comply with the city ordinances. As soon as Mary had finished preparing her dinner she obtained the services of a few of her fellow boarders and prepared to fix the stove so that it would not violate the fire ordinances. The work of placing the zinc under the stove had hardly been completed when she began to scream with pain caused by a terrible headache. Those about her seeing that she was very ill sent for a physician, but before he could arrive she had expired. The coroner was informed of her heath and will hold an inquest over the remains

MISS HALL COMING.

Leading Primary Sunday School Teacher Will Be Here Tomorrow.

Miss Bable Hall, the leading primary Sun-day school teacher of the country, will be here tomorrow and will hold an institute for teachers tomorrow afternoon She has for a number of years had charge of the primary department of Emanuel Baptist Sunday school, Chicago.

Emanuel Baptist Sunday school, Chicago. This is Mr. B. F. Jacobs's school, which in point of numbers and prominence stands even above John Wanamaker's, of Philadelphia.

Tomorrow afternoon at the First Baptist church Miss Hall will conduct a Sunday school teachers' institute, at which all the Sunday school teachers in the city and county are expected to be present.

This morning at 11:30 o'clock at the Young This morning at 11:30 o'clock at the Young Men's Christian Association building in this city, there is to be held a meeting of Sunday school workers of the county for sunday scool workers of the county for the purpose of finally arranging a dele-gation to represent the county at the state convention at Macon and to arrange for Miss Hall's meeting above alluded to. The delegation for Fulton and counties above and around this city have arranged to leave Atlanta Monday via the Central railroad for Macon.

CHIEFS COMING TOMORROW.

Railroad Labor Magnates on Their Way to Atlanta.

The state convention of railroad men will be called to order tomorrow afternoon in the hall of the Knights of Pythias, on Alabama street. The meeting promises to be a large one, and business of importance to the railroad men of the state will be Deputy Surveyor of Customs Makes a The grand officers of the different orders,

with one or two exceptions, will be in Atlanta tomerrow morning and they attend the meeting. A letter received yes-terday from Mr. E. E. Clark, grand chief of the Order of Railway Conductors, states that he and Grand Chief Frank P. Sar gent, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, and P. H. Morrissey, of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, would together for Atlanta, arriving early in the Grand Chief P. M. Arthur, of the Broth-

erhood of Locomotive Engineers, has advised the committee in charge of the convention that he will be present if possible, but if he cannot come he will send a representative. Grand Chief W. V. Powell, of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers, cannot attend the meeting on account of having important business on hand at Zeoria, Ill., but he has appointed a representative in the person of Mr. Charles Daniel, of Atlanta. The meeting will be the most important union gathering in Atlanta of railroad men in a long time.

Speeches will be made by the grand officers and delegates to the convention. Delegation of the convention. vention that he will be present if possible Speeches will be made by the grand officers and delegates to the convention. Delegations from every section of the state will be present. A large crowd will come up from Macon early tomorrow, and other cities will be represented. The principal business, so far as known, to be acted upon is the question of compulsory arbitration of railroad labor disputes. A bill is pending in congress to acquire a settlement of such questions as may arise between railroad companies and their ementicyes by arbitration, and the railroad men will consider the question of indorsing the bill. It is an important matter and one in which the railroad men are deeply interested.

Monday night there will be a big pub-Monday night there will be a big public meeting at the Imperial theater on Decatur street. A number of speeches will be made on the labor question. Only members of one of the orders mentioned will be admitted to the union meeting tomor-

Is in Favor of Major Guinn for the Commissionership.

J. Colton Lynes will not be a candidate for county school commissioner to succeed Judge John N. Fain. He has declined in or county school commiss favor of Major R. J. Guinn. He says: "As I have friends on the new county board of education and all over the state who believe me to be a candidate for the county school commissionership, I wish to state frankly that I have declined in favor of my friend, Mr. R. J. Guinn. My friends were urging my candidacy because of my twenty years' experience in teaching colleges, normal schools and in teach ers' institutes, having in that time educated over four thousand ouths and hundreds of teachers in this and other states. It is lear to me, however, that Mr. Guinn's exclear to me, however, that Mr. Guinn's ex-perience as clerk of the state school com-nissioner, supplemented with a good Eng-ish education, fully equips him for the ffice. I am grateful to my friends for the nany kind words written and spoken in my chalf. I hope they will give their support o Major Guinn."

HAS COME BACK TO GEORGIA.

Harry Hodgson, After Two Years in the Metropolis, Returns. Mr. Harry Hodgson, who has been con-nected with The New York Herald and

other metropolitan dailies for the last two years, has returned to Georgia and will be a member of The Constitution's local staff. Mr. Hodgson, aside from his thorough equipment as a young journalist, is a fluent and polished writer, and one who s bound to achieve success in the field to which he has devoted his energies. Having been reared in this state. Mr. Hodgson is well known all over Georgia, and his many friends will be glad to hear

of his return. MRS. CHARLES G. BECK DEAD. pied at Her Home Last Night at 7:30

O'Clock. Mrs. C. G. Beck, one of the best known ladies of this city, died last night at 7:30 o'clock, after a sickness of several weeks. Mrs. Beck went to Florida for her health and returned about a week ago and since that time she has sank rapidly.

She is the daughter of Mr. L. B. Nelson and a sister of Mrs. L. L. Knight and leaves one child, a boy two years old. The funeral arrangements will be announced

THE POLICE BENEFIT.

An Enjoyable Entertainment at the Grand on the 23d.

The entertainment to be given at the Grand on the 23d instant for the purpose of raising funds to entertain the chiefs of olice who will meet here in national con ention in May will be one of the events of the season.

The advance sale of tickets by the police The advance sale of tickets by the policemen indicates an unusually large audience, and the event will be worthy of a crowded house. Nearly all the prominent literary and musica artists in the city will take part, and the programme embraces many new and interesting features that have not been seen in Atlanta before.

The national convention of police chiefs meets in Atlanta May 12th, and prominent chiefs will be here from all over the country. The local force is anxious to make their stay a pleasant one, and are leaving no stone unturned toward that end.

MARY SANG A SONG,

And Then Went in a Stupor in a Police Station Cell. Mary Anderson, a white woman about town, applied at the police station last night for a night's lodging, and as she was ushered to her bunk she filled the prison with the sweet melodies of the "Last Rose

In about two hours afterwards she sang an entirely different tune. A disturbance was heard in her cell by some of the prisoners and Mary was found in a stupor, apparently dead, as the result of an overdose of morphine. She was taken to the hospital, and in a few minutes was resuscitated and returned to the station.

One Run Yesterday. The fire department had only one run yesterday. An alarm came in at 12:55 from box 63. The fire was on the roof of a house at 111 Gilmer street and did very little damage.

IN THE WORLD



OUR CUSTOMS RECEIPTS TRIPLED

Report on Atlanta.

STATISTICS TO WASHINGTON

Officials Think Chances Bright for a Government Warehouse.

ATLANTA SHOWS UP IN VERY FINE SHAPE

List Showng the Goods Received Here During the Exposition-Report to Surveyor Stocker.

Deputy Surveyor Walter A. Donaldson who had charge of all customs in connection with the exposition, has made his official report to John D. Stocker, the survey or of customs at this port, and it was yesterday forwarded to Washington, to be filed with the secretary of the treasury.

The report is a typewritten document of sixty-five pages, and sets forth in detail the

The total receipts of the custom house for both Atlanta and the exposition wa \$24,970. The city receipts were \$10,132, which is nearly three times the receipts of 1895. The exposition receipts were \$14.838.95. two port entries in Atlanta proper, and two hundred and seven in the exposition. confederation, Austria, Belgium, British India Canada Chile China Costa Rica Den-Siberia, Mexico, Russia, Sweeden, Switzer land. Turkey and Venezuela. There were 233 exhibitors and several firms were represented collectively by a single individual

The part of the report which deals with the character of the goods displayed is complete and comprehensive, and gives a splendld idea of the immensity of the foreign displays. Fifteen hundred and fortyfrom foreign countries, the appraised value of which was \$120,920.90.

The custom receipts, amounting to \$1i,-838.95, does not represent either the entire value of foreign exhibits or the duties collected thereon, as many consignments in-tended for the exposition were entered at the ports at which they first arrived. Mr. Donaldson praised the custom in-spectors very highly for the efficient manner in which they conducted their work. Most of these officials were detailed from their regular work at the ports of New York, Philadelphia, Norfolk, Charleston Mobile and elsewhere.

A lengthy and complete report from Director General C. A. Collier is appended to the Donaldson report, and in it Mr. Collier dsecribes the exposition exhaustively and tells the reasons why the exposition was inaugurated and the good it has already inaugurated and the good it has already done and is expected to do for Atlanta and the south in the establishment of better trade relations with other countries.

The total attendance, according to Mr. Collier's report, was 1,217,900, and the receipts were \$1,167,000.

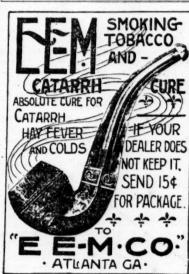
The custom officials are very sanguine over the prospects of obtaining a United States warehouse for Atlanta. The increase in receipts of the Atlanta office, exclusive

States warehouse for Atlanta. The increase in receipts of the Atlanta office, exclusive of the exposition, from \$3,500 in 1895, to \$10,132 in 1896, is expected to be a sufficient argument in itself for the establishment of a government warehouse here. The great boom in receipts is largely due to the growth of Atlanta and to the fact that many railroads entering Atlanta which were not bonded last year, are now allowed to deliver goods on the strength of their bonds.

"I have been afflicted with an affection of the throat from childhood, caused by diph-theria, and have used various remedies, but have never found anything equal to

Hampton, Piketon, Ky. Sold only in boxes.

Mr. Norcross's 88th Birthday. Mr. Jonathan Norcross, the oldest citizen of Atlanta, celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday yesterday. Mr. Norcross is still very sick and there was no change in his condition yesterday. A large number of his friends dropped in during the day to congratulate him on the celebration of his eighty-eighth birthday.



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CLUBROOMS OPENED.

L'SURANCE CLUB STARTS OUT WITH A RECEPTION.

Large Gathering Attended the Opening Last Night-Appropriate

One of the most brilliant affairs in the history of Atlanta was the formal opening of the Atlanta Insurance Club last night. Three hundred people enjoyed the hospi-tality of the policy writers and the ladies were in evidence. The most prominent insurance men of this city were present and did themselves full justice by

their guests. The club is quartered in the old Todd esidence and that grand old nouse was eautifully decorated with pretty palms and Easter lilies. The rooms presented an pnearance that is seldom seen

and was thoroughly enjoyed by those casion were made by the officers and mem-bers and toasts were given and answered. Every one was made to feel like a member of the club and it seemed more like a social gathering than a reception. This was the initiatory reception of the new club and will be speedily followed by others, which, if they are as successful as the one last night, will make the club famed for the magnificent manner in which it entertains.

it entertains.

Though young, the club has started out under a bright star, with a membership of 150 of the most prominent inserance men of Atlanta, which promises to soon increase to 300. The club has a competent corps of officers and its success is assured.

Died at Gainesville. Rev. F. S. Hudson was called by telegraph to Gainesville on yesterday on account of the death of his brother's wife, Mrs. J. W. Hudson, of that city. The funeral occurs today. Mrs. Hudson has many relatives in Atlanta and was the niece of Richard and Green Adair. Pure, rich blood is the true cure for nervousness, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier and nerve tonic.

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popularity the Boys' department is not a jot or iota

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NO BRANCH STORE IN TOTAL

COTTON OIL LED THE DECLINE

The Fine Weather Depressed the New Crop Months in Cotton-Wheat Closed Nearly a Cent Up.

New York, April 17 .- The tendency of prices at the stock exchange was downward today owing to the aggressivenes of the bear leaders who are claiming that the advance has been carried too far and that a reaction is long overdue. Particular attention was paid to the Industrial group and Manhattan scored the greatest losses. Sugar was sold by a former mem-ber of the stock exchange, who is also a dealer in privileges and has calls falling due tomorrow at 125. The stock opened at net loss of 2 per cent on the day, Chicago Gas fell from 60% to 68% on reports from pening streets for the purpose of laying mains had been rendered in favor of the Ogden Gas Company. At the decline rokers who usually act for Chicago Gas people bought the stock and a rally to 09 sure the stock fell to 6814. American Cot ton Oil was heavy and on liquidations the preferred dropped 1/2 to 541/2/0551/4 and the mon 2% to 12. A story was current to the effect that the company could not meet its dividend payment on the preferred denied, but it was generally understood that people closely connected with former insiders were liberal sellers Manhattan was heavy and broke 3 per cent to 1031/2 on realizations and short selling. The railway share list started off firm, but the weak-ness of the Industrials finally affected the market and a loss of 46% ensued. Speculation closed weak. Net changes show losses of 4.0% per cent in the railways and 14.04% in the Industrials.

Bonds were lower at the close. The sales footed up \$1,856,000 Treasury balances: Coin, \$126,996,927; currency, \$88,054,744.

Money on call easy at 2½@3½; last loan 2½, closing offered at 2½; prime mercantile

paper 51/406. Bar silver 67%. Sterling exchange dull with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.87% @\$4.88 for 60 days and \$4.881/2@\$4.8834 for demand; posted

State bonds quiet.
Railroad bonds easier.

Silver at the board was steady.
London, April 17.—Bar silver 31. Consols
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do. pref 95	N .Y. Central
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Balt. & Ohlo 16%	Nerfolk & Western
Cunada Pac 59	Northern Pac
Ches. & Obio 16%	do. pref 10
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caro Gas 6814	Pacific Mall 27
Del. Lack. & W 159	Reading 1
Dis. & Cat. Feed 18%	Rock Island 71
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Closing Stock Review. New York, April 17 .- New Yorw News Bureau: The stock market today was lower on account of the removal of the short interest and the distribution of long holdings which have taken place in the last few days. The professional element was encouraged to renew short selling and London houses sold their specialties. The weakness in Sugar also had an unfavor-able, sympathetic influence. The price de-clined a couple of points, and there was a withdrawal of recent active inside sup-

has reflected a growing belief that the next dividend of the preferred stock might Chicago Gas weakened on advices from

Chicago pointing to a legal decision favor-able to a new Ogden Gas enterprise. Renewed selling of United States Leather preferred was effective in causing a moderate decline.

Manhattan broke 2 per cent on a with-

drawal of inside support.

The railway list was without sensational feature, but in the last hour prices reached a level 1@112 per cent below last night for the leading iss The market closed dull and heavy.

DESCRIPTION.	Opening	Highes	Lowes,	Today's	Yesterdi Closing
Delaware & Lack	13914		159	159	159
Northwestern	10414			183%	101
Tenn. Coal and Iron		81%	30 %	305	3114
Southern Railway				93,	98
New York & N. E	******	*******		48	43
Lake Shore		*******		1474	147%
Western Union	841	34%	84	81	84%
Missouri Pacific		255	25 %	25%	257
Union Pacific	83	836	81	816	814
Dist. & Cattle Feed Co	18%				18%
Atchison	163,	164			163
Reading	11%	11%	1:34	11%	11%
Louisville & Nash	514		50%	51%	51%
North. Pacific pref	104	1014	10	10	10%
St. Paul	77	77%	76%	781/2	75%
Rock Island	71%	71%	71	71	7114
Chicago Gas	6:134	6934	RELA	63%	69
Chic., Bur. & Quincy	79%		77%	7758	79%
Am'n Sugar Retinery	1231	1255	1.3	1281	12534
Frie	15%		10%	154	154
Am'n Cotton Oil	1438		12%	1:5	143
Seneral Electric	371/4	37%	371	3714	37

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PAILROAD STOCKS. Atlante Clearing House Statement. THE COTTON MARKET.

Spot Cotton Quotations. Atlanta-Steady, middling 74c. Liverpool-Steady, middling 4%d. New York-Dull, middling 7 15-16c

	RECE	arts	FTOCKS.			
	1806	1895	1896	1893	1896	1895
Baturday	12	33	78	39	7539	8521
Monday	120	50		250	7656	5724
Tuesday	88	44	2.19	100	7543	5672
Wednesday	29	86		284	7402	6474
l'hursday	51	39	426	******	7227	8513
Friday	98	148		800	7325	4861
Total	432	494	729	1473		

McIntyre & Wardwell's Cotton Letter.

By Private Wire to the Paine-Murphy Brokerage Company. New York, April 17.—The Liverpool news New York, April II.—The Liverpool news was disappointing and several operators here who have recently been active on the bull side were sellers. Their offerings were quickly absorbed, however, and part of the early decline in prices was recovered. Advices from the south are of a very his county hold large stocks and as the ry goods trade is in a state of stagnation they refrain from purchasing spot cotton in this market. The statistical position is undoubtedly strong in many respects. Port receipts today were small and exports were large. This continued liberal exports were large. This continued liberal export trade has a sustaining influence on the market. Prices opened 4 to 7 points lower, recovered part of this, closing 3 to 4 points, lower for the day; sales 70,000 bales. Liverpool was unchanged to 1 point lower. Spots there were steady; sales 10,000 bales. New Orleans declined 3 points, but recovered the loss and advanced 1 point. In Manchester yaros were quiet and steady and in cloths more business would be done if sellers would concede something. Spots here unchanged; sales 156 for spinning. New Orleans sold 1,500 and St. Louis 405. Port receipts were 7,191, including "various," against 10,192 last week and 18,679 last year. Total port receipts for the week were 37,476, against 57,399 last week and 78,866 last year. Total interior receipts 16,778, against 25,539 last week and 29,185 last year. Shipments 35,882, against 44,100 and 72,444. Stocks 284,348, against 266,179 and 208,513. New Orleans tomorrow estimated at 500 to 800, against 430. Exports approximated 15,000.

The following is the range of cotton futures in New York yesterday: y refrain from purchasing spot cott this market. The statistical positi

MONTHA	Opening	Highest	Lower.	Today's	Yesterday's
April	7.73	7.73	7.70	7.70-71	7.73-74
May June	7.73	7.77	7.68	7.70-71	7.78-74
July	7.73	7.77		7.73-74	7.76-77
August	7.72	7.75		7.72-73	
September	7.34	7.38		7.34-35	7.38-40
October	7.25	7.28	7.24	7.25	7.28-95
November	7.14	7.16	7.14	7.14	7.18-19
December	7.13	7.16	7.14	7 14-18	7.18-19
January	7.20	7.22	7.15	7.18-19	7.23-24
February	*****	******		******	

	RECE	IPTS	RIP	EX PORTS.		STOCKS.		
	1896.	1885.	1896.	1895.	1896.	1895.		
Saturday	6876	5401	10329	24381	412334	77889		
Monday	5364	20603	16965	10988	503299	76730		
Tuesday			7420	29168	5#2985	74747		
Wednesday						73953		
Thursday								
Friday	7191	18670	14675	31819	478469	71051		
Total	37476	73486	77842	126787				
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New York Boston.
Newport News.
Philadelphia.
West Point.
Brunswick.
Port Royal
Pensacola

Total 4,874,959 Comparative Cotton Statement. Comparative Cotton Statement.

New York, April 17.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending today:

Net receipts at United States ports 37,476
Same time last year. 78,866
Showing a decrease of 4,71,952
Same time last year. 7,539,661
Showing a decrease of 2,664,702
Exports for the week. 77,842
Same time last year. 17,872
Same time last year. 17,872
Same time last year. 17,874 Showing a decrease of Total exports to date.

Same time last year.

Showing a decrease of Stock at United States ports Same time last year.

Showing a decrease of Stock at all interior towns.

Same time last year.

Showing an increase of Stock at Liverpool.

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New York, April 17.—Cotton declined 4 to 5 points, but rallied and recovered part of the loss, closing 3 to 4 points lower with the tone quiet and the sales 78,000 bales.
Today's Features—The Liverpool news was disappointing and prices weakened. Then, too, prominent interests here recently identified with the bull side soid today, and this accelerated the decline. The receipts at the ports were very light, while the exports were liberal, and these factors produced a rally at one time. Subsequently the market weakened again and declined under the influence of realizing sales. Speculation was a very small affair and the fluctuations were confined within narrow limits. The spot markets were dull and the weather at the south was favorable for planting. There was some buying here today for European account. Riordan & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

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New York, April 17.—(Speciat.)—The fine weather has given the new crop so encouraging a start that the effect was depressing both here and in Liverpool. At the opening here August sold at 7.73, and a few minutes later had declined to 7.70, but at that point the same strong hand which has been manipulating the market all the week was felt in its support and a rally followed, which resulted in 7.75 being freely bid for August. Toward the close the artific'al support seemed to be withdrawn and August quickly declined to 7.72, closing at that price with the tone quiet. We favor sales of the fall and winter months. It may be that the summer months might prove a better sale, but they are liable to manipulation and are therefore a more dangerous venture.

The Dry Goods Market. The Dry Goods Market.

New York, April 17.—The attendance of buyers in the primary dry goods market today has been large, and store trade has been low. In various directions an improvement is reported in the demand coming forward through the mails. In the market for staple cottons a quiet increase in the average sales is noted in a number of directions without much aid from large buyers as yet, and the general undercurrent of feeling is on the side of improvement.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter. New York, April 17.—Our market continues to reflect the sentiment now generally held by the trade that some of the present supply will attract the speculative demand, which up to the present time has been lacking to support prices. Any decline under realizations is therefore quickly recovered, notwithstanding the depressed condition of business throughout this country, and each day that the market retains its strength the local trade becomes more certain that an attempt will be made to advance values. From the south all reports confirm the increased acrease and the present good prespects.

for a large yield next season. These reports are reflected in the widening of the difference between the prices paid for the old and the new crop. The contemplation of a large crop prevents the south from becoming interested in the probability of a bull market for the remainder of this crop. A partial liquidation on the part of one of the buyers of the past week had the effect of bringing about a decline during the afternoon to about the opening quotations, but without changing the feeling that it is dangerous to be short of the summer months.

Weekly Crop Report.

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New Orleans, April 17.—New Orleans Cotton exchange statement from September 1, 1886, to April 17, 1886: Port receipts 4,995,383, against 7,601,711 last year, 5,592,573 year before last, and 4,658,928 for the same time in 1893. Overland to mills and Canada, 733,442, against 1,006,366, 768,773 and 783,108. Interior stocks in excess of Septembed 1st, 218,978, against 151, 477, 123,335 and 185,893. Southern mille takings, 699,922, against 646,263, 566,067 and 547,925. Crop brought into sight from September 1.st to date, 6,557,726, against 9,405,817, 7,030,748 and 6,180,854. Crop brought into sight for the ewek, 33,424, against 70,-316 for seven days ending April 17th last year, 63,712 and 42,182. Crop brought into sight for the first seventeen days of April, 130,118, against 210,890, 133,197 and 110,749. Comparisons in these reports are made up to the corresponding date last year, year before and in 1893, and not to the close of the corresponding week.

The Liverpool and Port Markets. The Liverpool and Port Markets.

Jiverpool, April 17-12:15 p. m.—Cotion spot demand moderate with prices steady; middling uplands 48; sales(10,600 bales; American 8,600; speculation and export 500; receipts 20,000; American 15,100; onlands low middling clause April and May delivery 4 19-64; June and July delivery and June and July delivery and July delivery - (Botober and November and July delivery - (Botober and November delivery -; December and Mary delivery -; Statures opened steady with demand poor.

Weekly - Sales 47.000; American 41.000; Irade takings local ning direct from shipside, 67,000; actual export 8.000; import 86,000; American 72,000; stock 1,157,000; American 98,000.

Liverpool, April 17-4:00 p. m.—Uplands low middling clause a pril delivery 4 19-64, 4 20-64; April and Mar delivery 4 19-64, value; May and June delivery 4 18-64, sellers; Cotober and October delivery 3 61-64, sellers; Soctober and November delivery 3 59-64, sellers; December and December delivery 3 59-64, sellers; Gutober and Josuary delivery 3 59-64, sellers; Gutober and Josuary delivery 3 69-64, sellers; futures closed steady.

steady.

New York, April 17—Cetten dull; sales 156 bales; middling uplands 7 15-16; middling gulf 8 5-16; net receipts near; growth 147, 243.

Weekly—Net receipts y 184; gross 11,848; exports to Great Britain 5,273; to France 380; to continent 9,589; forwarded 1,835; sales 3,776; to Spinners 1.659. Weekly — Net receipts 6.802; gross 6.802; sales 3.109; to spinners 111; exports to continent 677; coastwise 3.381.

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Salvesien. April 17 — Cotton steady; middling 73; net receipts 2.516 bales; gross 2.516; sales 654; steck 45,138; exports to continent 477.

Norfelk. April 17—Cotton steady; middling 7 11-16; net receipts 436 bales; gross 436; sales 289; steck 19.829; exports coastwise 246.

Weekly — Net receipts 2.206; gross 2,206; sales 909; exports coastwise 6.729. Baltimore, April 17—Celten nominal: middling 8, net receipts 97 bales; gress 2,042; sales none; stock 5,827; exports to Great Britain 1,918; to continent Weekly—Net receipts 97; gross 5,196; exports to freat Britain 1.918; to continent 3,450; coastwise500.

Boston, April 17-Cotton quiet: middling 7 15-16; et receipts 661 bales; gross 1,535; sales none; stock Weekly-Net receipts 5.165; gross 10,270; sales one; exports to Great Britain 12.175. none; exports to Great Britain 12.175.

Wilmington, April 17—Cotton quiet; middling 7%; net receipts 201 bales; gross 201; sales none; steck 4,666. Weekly—Net receipts 658; gross 658; sales none; exports coastwise 800. exports constwise 800.

Philadelphia April 17.—Cetten quiet; middling \$3.16; receipts 181 baies; gress 431; sales none; stock 10,503; exports to Great Britain 400.

Weekly—Net receipts 1,132; gross 1,641; sales none exports to Great Britain 400. caporisto Great Britain 400.

Mayanah, April 17—Catton quiet; middling 79-16;
net receipts 697 bales: gross 697; nales 23; steck
25,597; exports constwise 1,162.

Weekly—Net receipts 4,576; gross 4,576; sales
1,004; to spinners—; exports to continent 12,542;
constwise 2,952.

coastwise 2,952.

New Orlean, April 17 — Cotton easy; middling 7 11-16; net receipts 1,372 bales; gross 1,372; sales 1 500; steck 178,979; exports to Great Britain 3,150; to France 125; to continents,315; coastwise 57.

Weekly—Net receipts 12,037; gross 13,016; sales 16,400; exports to Great Britain 3,150; to France 4,554; to continent 16,216; coastwise 1,910; sales to Mobile, April 17—Cotton quiet: middling 74; net re mipus 495 bales; gross 495; sales 100: stock 13,222; exports coastwise 50.

Weekly - Net receipts 1,643; gross 1,643; sales 2,500; exports coastwise 971. Weekly-Net receipts 1,632; shipments 6,379; sales 4.700. Augusta, April 17—Cetton quiet and steady; mideling 7 11-16; net receipts 27 bales; shipments 573; sales Weekly-Net receipts 582; shipments 3,616; sales 2,455.

none; stock 23,627.

Weekly-Net receipts 1.826; gross 1,826; sales 60; to spinners -; exports coastwise 621. 60; to spinners —; exports coastwise 621. Houston. April 17—Cotton steady; middling 7%; net receipts 927 bales; shipmonts 2,226; sales none; steck 19.984. Weekly — Net receipts 6,891; shipments 7,216; ales: 302. sales 302. Montgomery, April 17—Cotton, net receipts of the week 311 bales; shipments 1,132; sales 1,132; stock of 1896, 4,981; 1895, 3,482. Macon. April 17—Cotton, net receipts of the week 146 bales; shipments 248; sales —; stock of 1896, 3,880; 1895; 1,333. 3.880; 1895;1.333.
Columbus, April 17 - Cotton, net receipts of the week 75 bales; shipments 3:56; sales 2:30; to spinners -; stock of 1896; 6.025; 1895, 6,663.
Nashville, April 17 - Cotton, net receipts of the week 6:65 bales; shipments 185; sales 415; to spinners 2:30; stock of 1896; 217; 1895, 2,745. 230; stock of 1896, 217; 1895, 2,745.
Selma, April 17—Cotton, net receipts of the week
75 bales; shipments 297; stock of 1896, 2,102;
1895, 960.
Rome, April 17—Cotton, net receipts of the week
61 bales; shipments 849; stock 1,974.

THE CHICAGO MARKET. St. Louis Strength and Pardridge's

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Death the Factors in Wheat.

Chicago, April 17.—St. Louis strength and the death of Mr. Pardridge, the noted scalper, were the factors in wheat today. For an hour after the opening there was very little life to the trade, then St. Louis started up and sent buying orders to this market. That city gave out the information that chinch bugs had been discovered in the growing plant, but how widespread the danger from the insect was, was not stated. No heed was paid to the question of extent, however, prices rising quickly and with very little opposition. When the death of Mr. Pardridge was announced another bulge of less proportions took place, Cutter & Co., who formerly operated extensively on his account, bought about 256,000 bushels, which probably represented the remnant of the ieceased's open contracts. A moderate recession occurred before the close. May wheat opened from 666,65%, sold between 63½,65% and 65c, closing at 65%,666%, c-% higher than yesterday. Cash wheat was firm and ic higher.

Corn—The same stories often repeated of dullness. in corn was repeated without variation of any sort today. Prices pursued the course marked out by wheat. No news of interest was expected and none was received. The tone was numberate. May corn opened at 30½,62% and wheat and coin and were disposed to buy on that consideration. Nothing notable in the way of influential trading, was noted, however. May closed 'ke higher than yesterday. Cash cota was steady to ½c per bushel higher.

Provisions had a very good day and at the close showed better prices all around. A number of shorts covered and some buying for long account took place, the incentive for both being found in a lighter run of hogs than expected at the vsrds and am advance of 56710c in their price. Stronger prices for wheat were out without their effect. At the close May book was 12½ chigher. Domestic and foreign markets were quiet and firm.

The leading futures ranged as follows in Chicago: Wazar— Open. Mizh. Low Chee. Death the Factors in Wheat.

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pretty much their own way today after the first hour. May wheat selling as high as 67c and July at 68½c. At this difference there was considerable changing, and so far there seems little desire to liquidate the May option without buying an equal amount of July. Early cables were quoted unchanged, reports from the northwest were cheerful and some of the large professionals who were talking bullish after the close yesterday were noted as sellers. The outside and local demand was not urgent, and the market declined \(\lambda\) \(\text{in}\) who were talking bullish after the close yesterday were noted as sellers. The outside and local demand was not urgent, and the market declined \(\lambda\) \(\text{in}\) who were talking bullish after the close yesterday were noted as sellers. The outside and local demand was not urgent, and the market declined \(\lambda\) \(\text{in}\) who were talking bullish after the close yesterday were noted as sellers. The outside and local demand was not urgent, and the market to whom a seller to take the learn the cause of this buying also turned buyers on the assumption that it was on news that had not yet been received here. This caused an upturn of 1c. That city later wired they were in receipt of damage reports which had caused a very strong feeling there, and to show they placed reliance in them, bought heavily in this market. Shortly before mildday the death of Mr. Pardridge was announced, and it is said an outstanding short line was covered for the deceased, advancing the market to 6rc, from which point there was a decline of \$\frac{1}{2}cc.\$ closing steady. The action of the market today indicates that a nervous feeling exists and the readiness of traders to take the long side on any encouragement. Sentiment is bullish, and now that navigation is open, thus allowing stocks to move out and permit of the filling of export orders for prompt shipment, it is quite likely bears will experience more than the usual difficulty of reaping large profits on the short side until the crop of

now on.

Pork recorded a good advance on large local buying and the slightly better hog market. Ribs were also firm, but lard was neglected.

PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE ATLANTA. GA., April 1, 1833.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

Atlanta. April 17. Flour first puter: \$5.00 recond patent \$4.30: straight \$3.00: fance \$3.80 extra family \$3.00. Corn, white 40c; mixen 39c, 0ats, white 35c; mixed 35c. Reye, Georgia, 75c. Barley, Georgia raised, 85c. Hay. No. 1 timothy, large bales, \$1.05; No. 2 timothy, smail, oates, \$1.05; No. 2 timothy, smail, oates, \$9c. Meal, plain, 40c; bolted, 30c. Wheat, bran, Irrge sacks, 70c; small sacks, 70c. Shorts, 80c. Stock meal, \$1.00. Cotton seed meal, 95c. \$1.00 lbs.; huits \$6.00 \$ton. Peas, 802. \$bo. Griss, \$2.40. Gris, \$2.40.

New York, Anril 17—Southern floor quiet ond steady, rood to choice \$3.00@3.*0:common tofair extra\$2.40.
@3.00. Wheat, shot moderately active and firm: No. 2 red winter in store and elevator —: affoat —: options fairly active and frm at \$6@\$\circ\$\cir 8t. Louis, April 17 - Flour firm: patents \$3.65@ 3.75; fancs \$2.90@3.00; choice \$2.55@2.65. Wheat higher; April - : May 60%. Coro higher: April - ; May 27%. Oats unchanged; No. 2 April - ; May 18% bid. Cincinnati. April 17—Flour active: winter patents 33.70/83.90; fancy \$3.10/83.30; spring patent \$3.60 (85.90. Wheat sleady; No. 2 red 74. Corn fairly active; No. 2 mixed \$11/9; No. 2 wite \$11/9. Oats quiet and seady; No. 2 mixed \$22%; Unicago April 17.—Flour duli but steady: No. 2 spring wheat 65 k @67: No. 3 spring —: No. 2 red 68 k @71. No. 2 corn 30 k @30 k. No. 2 cars 20.

Affanta April 17 - Roasted co Tee 21.60 \$ 109 h. cases less 2c h rebate. Green coffee, choice 19½; fair 17½; prime. 16½. Sugar, standard granulated 5.76; Rew Orleans white, 5c; 1 c, yellow 4½c. Syrup. New Orleans open kettle 25@40c. mlxed, 12½@20c. sugarbouse. 20@350 Teas black. 30@65c; green, 20@50c. Rice, head, 6c; choice. 5½c. Sait. dairy. sacks, 91.35; do. bbis. \$2.25; tee cream. Duc. common. 70c. Cheese full cream. 11@11½c. Matches 65s 50c. 200s. \$4.30.031.75; 5.0da boxes. 6. Crackers, soda, 5½c; cream. 7c; ginger snaps. 8½. Crackers, soda, 5½c; cream. 7c; ginger snaps. 8½. Crackers, soda, 6½c; face 11@12.26; 25.75. Sobs. \$4.75; L. W.,\$1.75; L. W.,\$1.25. Powder, rife, \$2.75. Sho; \$1.30.

11.30. Year York, April 17—Coffee, options closed barely steady 5@15 points down; April 12.75@12.80; May 12.75@12.80; Sylvy —; September 11.35@11.40; December 17.70@10.80; spot Rio easier and quiet; No. 7.13%. Sugar, raw firm but dull; fair retining 3% of 3%; retined quiet but firm; off A.4.15-16@54; standard A.5%; cut loaf and crushed 6%; powdered 5%; grasulated 5%; cube 4.3.16. Molasses, foreign nomuni: New Orleans fairly active and firm; open settle, good to choice 27@37. Rice in fair demand and firm; domestic lair to extra 3@5%; Japan 4@4%.

Atlanta. April 17 - Clear riv state. boxet. 5½c. foe-cored bellies. 7½c. Sugar cured hams, 106112c; California. 7½c. Brashfast bacon. 8@10c. Lard, best quality. 6c; second quality. 5½c; compound. 4½c. St. Louts. April 17 - Pork. standard mess \$8.00. Lard, prime steam. 4.75. Dry rait meats shoulders 4.25; long clear 4.50; clear ribs 4.75; short clear 4.75; Bacon boxed shoulders 4.87½; long clear 5.00 clear ribs 5.25; short clear 5.25. New York, April 17—Pork more active: old mess \$9.00@9.50. Middles nominal: short clear — Lard \$9.00@9.50. Middles nominal: short clear — Lard quiet but firmer; western steam 5.275@6.30: city steami4.75: options. May 5.25.
Chicago. April 17—Cusb quotations were as follows; Mess port \$8.70@8.75. Lard 4.95@4.97%. Short ribs. loose 4.40@4.45. Dry sail shoulders. boxed 4.50@4.625. Chiclinati April 37—Pork quiet and steady; mess \$9.00. Lard quiet; steam leaf 5.25; wette 5.25. Bacon quiet; shoulders 4.75; short rib 5.00; short clear sides 5.37%. sides 5.37%.

Naval Stores.

Savannah April 17—Turpentue firm at 25% for regulars; sales 1,500 casks: receipts 1,821. Rosin firm: sales 3,000 bbis: receipts 2,878; A. B and C\$1.65; D\$1.65; E\$1.65; F\$1.85; C\$1.65; H\$1.65; F\$1.70; K\$1.80; M\$1.90; windowglass \$2.10; waterwhite \$2.20.

Winnington, April 17—Rosin firm: strained \$1.45; good strained \$1.50; aprils surpentine firm: magnetic strained \$1.50; aprils surpentine firm: magnetic strained \$1.50; aprils surpentine firm: Charleston. April 17 - Turpentine nominalat 26, Rosin firm; good strained \$1.10@1 25.

Chicage. April 17 - Cattle steady: receipts 4,000; common to extra steers \$3,20@4.50; stockers and feeders \$2,20@64.50; cowsanabulis \$1,60@3.50; Texans \$2,26@3.50; wester rangers -- Hogs easy and 5c lower: receipts 18,000; heavy packing and shipping lobs \$3,50@3.70; common to choice mixed \$3,45@3.85; choice assorted \$3,85@4.00; light \$2,60@3.95; pigs \$2,90@3.30. Sheep slow and weak: receipts \$4,000; interior to choice \$2,50@3.60; lambs \$3,50

Horses and Mules. At'anta, Ga., April 17.—Carload lots are quoted as follows:

Horses—Plugs, \$30@\$35; plain workers, \$30@\$50; good drivers, \$30@\$75; extra drivers, \$30@\$125.

Mules—14 to 14½ hands, \$50@\$65; 14½ to 15, \$67@\$75; 15 to 15½, \$80@\$100; 15½ to 16, \$100@\$125.

Country Produce.

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Affanta. April 17 - Eggs. 11½612½c Butter, western creamery 22@24c; fancy Tennessee. 1869
20c; choice 12½c Georgis, 12½615c Live poutry—Turkevs 12@12½c \$\overline{9}\$ bis essentially chickens 20@27½c ducks 25@27½c. perms chickens 20@27½c ducks 25@27½c. Dressed poutry—Turkeys 17½618c; ducks. 16@18; chickens \$\overline{6}\$ bit Tennessee, 30@40c \$\overline{9}\$ bit. Tennessee, 30@40c \$\overline{9}\$ bit. Tennessee, 30@40c \$\overline{9}\$ bit. Tennessee, 30@675c \$\overline{9}\$ bit. \$\overli

Fruits and Confectioneries.

Atlan'a. April 17— Apples \$5.00@5.50 ₹ bbl 1emons. Messins \$2.75@3.00. Oranges. California \$3.25@3.75. Cocoanuts. 3½c. Pineapples. crates; of 2 coc. \$2.00@2.50; a doc. \$4.00@4.50. Bananas, straights. \$1.25@1.50; c doc. \$4.00@4.50. Bananas, straights. \$1.25@1.50; c doc. \$4.00@4.50. Bananas, straights. \$1.25@1.50; c doc. \$1.00. Figs. 11@ 11½c. Rajain's new California \$1.10@1.26; ½ coxes 50@60c. Currants. 6½@7c. Leghorn citron. 13c. Nuts. almonds. 13c; pecaas. 7½@8c Basil. 7½@8c fiberts. 11½c; walnuts. 10@11c; mixed nuts. 8@10c Peranuts Virginia electric light. 5@56; fancy handpicked, 3½@6c; Nitoh Carolina. 3@4c; Georgia. 3 @3½c.

City of Rome, Ga., Bonds. Sealed bids will be received by the mayor and council of Rome, Ga., until eight (8) o'clock p. m. 20th day of May, 1896, for an issue of city of Rome bonds aggregating \$189,000, to be issued in denominations from \$500 to \$1,000, all bearing date-July 1, 1896, and maturing thirty years thereafter, drawing interest from date at the rate of 4½ per cent per annum anyable semi-annually in interest from date at the rate of 4½ per cent per annum, payable semi-annually in Rome or New York; said bonds to be issued under and by authority of an act of the legislature of Georgia approved November 18, 1895, for the purpose of retiring that portion of the bonded debt of Rome which matures on said first day of July, 1896. Each bid must be accompanied by certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of such bids all bids must be sealed and addressed to S. S. King, mayor of Rome, Ga. Bids will be opened in the council chamber at Rome, Ga., in the presence of the mayor and council at 8 o'clock p. m., on the 20th day of May, 1895, and the right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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75 Marietta 8 80 am *6 Chattanooga 3 00 pm
77 Rome 10 15 am *72 Rome 450 pm
*4 Chattanooga 1 40 pm 74 Marietta 5 30 pm
*1 Nashville 7 30 pm *4 Nashville 820 pm Georgia Railroad. ARRIVE FROM—
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Covington... 7 45 am *2 Augusta... 7 15 am
Augusta... 12 15 pm
Augusta... 15 10 pm
44 Augusta... 11 10 pm

Seaboard Air-Line. No. ARRIVE FROM— No. DEPART TO—
*41 Norfolk...... 5 20 pm *402 Washington... 11 45 m
*403 Washington... 6 45 am *38 Norfolk........ 8 10 pm The Georgia Midland Railway.
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\$4,500 buys 10-room house, lot 55x200, on E. Hunter street, close in—\$2,000 cash, balance to suit purchaser.

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7-r. McDaniel street, worth \$2,600, can be bought for \$1,800 cash.

3-r. h. rents \$26, \$2,250.

2-r. h., \$25 cash, \$5 per month; no interest, \$523.

5-r. h., Bowden street, 50x270, near Peachtree, \$2,000.

Sheriff's Sales for May, 1896.

WILL BE SOLD before the courthous in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the first Tuesday in May next, within the legal hours of sale, the following described property, to-wit: (notice of levy served as required by law): Commensing at a point on Hunter street, 25 feet west of the southwest corner of Hunter and King streets, running thence west along the south side of Hunter street is feet, more or less, thence south 60 feet, more or less, thence south 60 feet, more or less, thence south 60 feet, more or less, thence north 60 feet, more or less, thence north 60 feet, more or less, thence south 60 feet, more or less, thence north 60 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, being part of land iot —, in the 14th district of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of Thomas L. Bidden versus the said Mary I. Allen.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land, dying and being in the city of Atlanta, part of land lot 47, in the 14th district of originally Henry now Fulton county, and more particularly described as follows: Commencing on the southeast corner of Jackson street and Angier avenue and running thence south along Jackson street 506 feet, more or less, to Rice street, thence east along Rice street 43 feet, more or less, to the Boulevard 506 feet, more or less, to the Boulevard 506 feet, more or less, to the beginning point, containing 5 7-10 acres, more or less, Levied upon as the property of A. M. Reinhardt, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of Sallie M. Coffin and Ella Coffin versus the soid A. M., Reinhardt.

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of James F. O'Neil to satisfy a fi. fa. 's-sued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of the American Trust and Bank-ing Company vs. the said James F. O'Neil.

ing Company vs. the said James F. O'Neil.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: Situate, lying and being in the county of Fulton and being a part of land lot 13 of the 14th district of said ecounty, and described as follows: Commencing at the northwest corner of Wyly and Oliver streets and running thence north along Oliver street one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet, thence west one hundred (100) feet, thence south twelve (12) feet, thence ast fifty (50) feet to Wyly street, thence east fifty (50) feet to beginning point, being the land conveyed to Reynolds by two deeds, one from John H. Wyly, recorded in book NN, page 451, the other from Augusta Howell, recorded in Z 3, page 388. Levied upon as the property of 1. P. Reynolds to satisfy a fl. fa. Issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in ravor of Atlanta. Savings bank vs. the said I. P. Reynolds.

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Also, at the same time and place, the following described property to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in Reynoldstown, being part of land lot 13 of the 14th district of Fulton county, described as follows: Commencing at a point on the north side of Wylie street, 13 feet east of Oliver street, thence east 100 feet and extending back north some width 200 feet, the same known as the Madison Reynolds property and described in the deed from Cheek and Teagle, recorded in book "S." page 579.

Also, another tract of land in said Fulton county, Georgia, and in land lot 13, and having a front of 25 feet on the north side of Wylie street and extending back north some width 100 feet, the same being the property described in the deed from Green Jennings and recorded in book "H4." page 122 and bounded east by Reynolds lot and West by Jenny Jennings lot.

Also, another tract of land in said state, county and land lot and situated on the southwest corner of Wylie street streets, fronting 25 feet on Wylie street and extending back south 100 feet, same being the land described in a deed from Celia and William Young and recorded in book X2, page 6.

Also, another tract of land in said state, county and land lot, situated on the east side of Oliver street, between Wylie and Waterhouse streets and fronting thereon 60 feet, and extending back east 75 feet, being the land described in deeds from Jordan Lassater et al. recorded in book 14" pages 323, 324, 328.

Levied upon as the property of I. P. Reynolds to satisfy a fi. fa. Issued from the city pages 323, 324, 328.

Levied upon as the property of I. P. Reynolds, deed having been filed and recorded in the clerk's office Fulton superior court for the purpose of levy and sale, as republished to satisfy a fi. fa. Issued from the city and the same time and place, the following described property, platted and solid by Harry Krouse should be falled and recorded in the described property to-wit: One to I should be a superior court for the purpose of levy and sale, as

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AN ATLANTA RUMOR WHICH APPEARED IN A NEW

YORK DRAMATIC PAPER. It Was Said Mr. Greenwall Had Given Up the Lyceum, but He Denies

the Rumor Emphatically. Mr. Henry Greenwall, the theatrical man-

A rumor to that effet appears in the urrent issue of The New York Dramatic News, a paper which is usually exceedingly accurate in its theatrical information, but which in this case has printed what aprears to be a mere rumor and nothing nore. The News's story is as follows: "It was stated last night that Henry Greenwall would give up the theater he has been conducting in Atlanta. Complications are said to have arisen between himself and the owners of the property which will prevent him from critining to direct the house. It is anderstand that Mr. Greenwall is rather glad to give up this point in his chain of theaters.

Mr. Read Says He Can't. ney, is the representative of Mr. Fowles

"Mr. Greenwall has not made any enort to give up the lease of the theater so far as I know, and could not give it up if he would. He paid the first year's rental in advance, and with the exception of the note for the second year, the others are in Mr. Bowles's safe—that is, notes covering the rental for ten years in all. The ering the rental for ten years in all. The note for the second year's rental, which is due the first of May, has been forwarded by me to New Orleans for collection. The only thing I have heard from Mr. Greenwail was in the nature of a request that I divide the \$6.000 note due the first of May so that he might pay part of it then and the rest in the fall. Mr. Bowles is not in this country, and I feel that I had no that the note will be paid when it is due. The lease of the house is in the name of Mr. Greenwall individually and not in the "Has there been any effort on Mr. Green-

What Mr. Greenwall Says. The Constitution telegraphed its New Orleans correspondent, Mr. Nor-man Walker, of The Times-Democrat, to

man Walker, of The Times-Democrat, to see Mr. Greenwall and get a statement from him in this matter. Mr. Walker's telegram is as follows:
"New Orleans, I.a.. April 17.—Mr. Henry Greenwall has not abandoned the lease of the Lyceum theater. There is no truth in the New York story. Mr. Greenwall says that he has a lease of the theater for ten years and it is a lease he cannot break. He would be glad to get out of it if he could, but he sees no way in which he can

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WANTED---A HEAD

The Detective Department To Be Directed by a Sergeant.

PAY OF OFFICERS INCREASED Police Committee Recommends That the Department Be Reorganized

on Certain Lines.

noon the police committee will report an ordinance authorizing the police commissioners to reorganize the local detective department. The reorganization cannot be effected exactly as the board would like it, but the ordinance will be reported as a The committee ordinance will put the

etective department in charge of an ofsame pay as that official. He will be the head of the department at a salary of \$2.70 per day. Under the ordinance the pa of regular detectives will be \$2.50 per day. The proposed ordinance enacts that the head of the department shall be selected from the regular police force as constituted at the time of the election. That portion of the proposed law was objected to by one of the committeemen and two police commissioners present, but it was finally unanimously agreed to by the full committee, Councilman Day, chairman; Alderman Hirsch and Councilman Thomas.

Cipairman Branan of the board and Captain English went before the commit tee and made statements about the mat ormer rule making the head of the tective department rank as captain. The

letectives be made what it was before the abolishment of the detective department, that is \$2.70 per day. Both of the commissioners' explained the need of a head to the detective department and urged the justice of paying the men more than egular patrolman's pay, as is now done. The matter came up on the petition of e police board adopted at a meeting of that body several weeks ago. The con munication was sent to the council and referred to the committee. It asked that the board be given authority to reorganize

Didn't Want a Limit. The ordinance introduced by Councilman Thomas at the last meeting of the coun-cil establishing the office of captain of letectives and giving him the rank of captain and that salary, was considered in

agreed upon by the full committee. Cap-tain English, and Mr. Branan and Mr. Hirsch thought that the police board ought not to be confined to the regular force in sider if necessary for the interests of the

should have the right to elect an outsider if necessary for the interests of the department.

Not for Captain Wright.

It was suggested that some talk to the effect that if the board had the right to select a man not now connected with the department it might choose Captain Wright for the place. Captain English and Mr. Branan assured the committee that so far as they are concerned uo such action is anticipated. They said that if a competent man could be selected from the force he would be given the place, but they thought it unwise to confine the committee to the department. Mr. Hirsch talked on the same line, but accepted the ordinance reading as follows, which will go to the council as a unanimous report:

"That the board of police commissioners of this city are hereby authorized to reorganize the detective force of the police-department by detailing regular police men to serve as detectives at a salary of \$2.50 per day; also by detailing from the regular police department a suitable person with the rank and pay of a sergeant of the regular force, while so detailed, as a head to this department."

SPORT ON JEKYL ISLAND.

Deer Are So Tame That It Is No Fun To Shoot Them.

Brunswick, Ga., April If—(Special.)—All the guests having left Jekyl island, the anual burning of woods is taking pace to make room for the new crop of grass for the game. Sport on Jekyl island is not now what is used to be, game having become so plentiful that it is no longer necessary to evert once's self hunting it, and the right to democracy. "Applause.)

Nr. duBignon and the Dollar.

Burnswich department all the right to the eigent and then place and not the right to the department as the place, can be with the regular force with the result. The police has a unanimous report:

"That the board of police commissioners of the currency question was solely in the interest of truth, and he averred that he sympathy of the crowd in all hes aid. His trict, Hon. Henry G. Turner, evoked a trict, Hon. Henry G. Turner, evoked a course of the currency

true sportsman does not enjoy the easy way they have to kill it. An instance of the large and increasing quantity of game can be found in the fact that owing to the prevalence of deer it has been impossible to successfully grow roses around the clubhouse this winter, as heretofore. The deer are so tame that they come out of the woods at night to feed on the flower grounds. The reason for this tameness is woods at night to feed on the flower grounds. The reason for this tameness is the fact that for two seasons but the club members who comprise the sporting element have not been coming to Jekyl, but instead the members and their guests who have been there were of the older set, in the majority of cases, and those of the younger set were more of a social than sporting disposition.

Within the next few seasons the prestige of Jekyl as a sportsman's resort will no doubt be fully restored, as it is the natural thing for tourists to turn back to it after exhausting the Florida woods for novelties in that line. When Jekyl once more becomes popular with hunters the game book will show records equal, if not superior, to those of Tampa bay. One bird, the English pheasant, is found on the island and nowhere else in the south. It is especially imported for the club and each member, is allowed to shoot only two during a season, for which they pay \$5 each, the money being used to replace those killed. The pheasants thrive splendidly in this climate and with those are the only game on Jekyl that cannot almost be killed without the use of firearms. Quail and like birds thrive by the thousands and it is more of a sacrilege than a sport to kill them, so numerous are they.

CELERY TO THE SOUTH.

Georgia and Florida Will Engage in

Developing the Industry. Waycross, Ga. April 17.—(Special.)—Of late celery culture in the south has been a subject of considerable discussion, and a subject of considerable discussion, and Inst year's experiments at Tifton, Ga., and Tan pa, Fla., have demonstrated that such a crop successfully cultivated in this section brings a handsome return to the grower. South Georgia can produce a fine quality of celery, and Florida is not bekin I Georgia in this respect. At Tampa last year \$1.000 was no unusual return from an acre of celery, and the Neylands, of Tampa, realized \$2.000 on an acre. Big preparations are being made in Tampa for a large crop of celery. The old marsh between Tampa and East Tampa will be converted into a celery farm. The farm will consist of forty acres on the eastern edge of the marsh. It will be protected from overflows by a four-foot dike, the same height as the street can track bed, which will be utilized as a dike on the south end of the farm. At no time has this land been overflowed mere than eighteen inches, and a four-foot dike is considered sufficient. The farm will be in charge of a German gardener. last year's experiments at Tifton, Ga., and

Valdosta Baptists' New Church. Valdosta, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)—The Baptists today debated plans for their new church, which is to be built of pressed brick and granite and which will cost \$1,500. It will contain a seating capacity of 900 people. Work will be commenced on it

SEASON CLOSES TONIGHT. Wang" Is the Closing Attraction.

Souvenir Matinee Today. The theatricat season for 1895-96 will come to a close tonight, when the last performance of "Wang" will be given. performance of "Wang" will be given. This opera is a fitting closing attraction for the most brilliant season Atlanta has ever known, and the Grand will no doubt contain a large audience to witness this, the farewell performance on the opera. "Wang" will be heard at a special source for matine this afternoon. The maining matinee this afternoon. The manage ment announces that each person attend-ing the afternoon performance will be presented with a handsome and unique

The opera was sung last night to a large audience, and as on the previous evening, was greatly enjoyed. Messrs. Hart and Casey and Misses Caine and McKensie all acted and sang in a spirited manner and received generous applause for their work. The banjo selection in the second act and

The banjo selection in the second act and the "baby" song were especially well received, while the entire performance moved with a smoothness rarely seen in so large a production.

It is the intention of D. W. Truss & Co., the owners of "Wang." to take the opera off the road after this season, so tonight will probably be the last opportunity Atlantians will have to hear the tuneful music of "Wang."

FOR AN EXHIBIT.

Chicago Exposition Discussed by the Finance Committee. The finance committee of the council is in favor of the city making an axhibit at

the Chicago and Southern States Cotton Yesterday afternoon the committee held a meeting and decided to recumrent to the council that an appropriation of \$500 for the purpose be made. The report will be made to the council Monday atternoon. Governor Bullock and others appeared efore the committee to urge that an appropriation be made. It s stated that the city should have an exhibit at Chicago by all means and the advantages of such an exhibit were discussed. The committee quickly made up a decision in the matter,

agreeing on the action stated.

The meeting of the committee was called by Chairman Inman for the purpose of considering the question. Nearly the full committee were present. It is believed that the county will make a like appropriation the county will make a like appropriation and the city and county will be well repre sented at Chicago.

EDGEFIELD'S ROAD.

An Experiment About Which There Is Doubt of Success.

Is Doubt of Success.

Augusta, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)—The Edgefield people have got railroad communication with the outside world again, but there seems to be some doubt about the permanence of the road. The railroad is known as the Carolina, Cumberland Gap and Chicago railroad and is hardly as long as its name. The bondholders of the "Gap" road have sent an expert, Mr. Fowler, from Chicago to Edgefield to take entire charge of the road and the baby line is now operating under his management.

At the expiration of thirty days Mr. Fowler will report to the owners whether it is best to continue the operation of the road as it is now, to extend it on to Greenwood or tear up the tracks and sell them for old iron. The people of Edgefield are concerned about the result.

ratio of 16 to 1. Now that I may be better able to present my argument to you, I will admit that gold is coined free of mintage, and I do not see why silver should not be coined free of mintage.

"But." he continued, "the unlimited and independent coinage of silver would give us a depreciated currency, and our interests require sound and stable money. True money is that which can always proclaim in joyous confidence: 'I know that my redeemer liyeth.'"

The silver argument, he said, is the argument that appeals to prejudice and not to reason.

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The free silver policy is a great scheme of protection. It would protect the silver mine owners to the extent of 50 cents on every silver dollar coined. If the free silver mine owners to the extent of 50 cents on every silver dollar coined. If the free silver advocates will show that this government can coin silver free at the mints, in unlimited quantities and independently of other nations, and say 51 cents is 100 cents, the silverites are right in their argument, but if the government cannot say 51 cents is worth 100 cents, and make it true in fact, then the silverites are all wrong. "One nation," said Mr. duBignon, "can no more live without another nation, than one man can live without a neighbor.

"If I were asked my remedy I would offer as my first this suggestion: 'Stop your talk about fifty-cent dollars. (Applause.) Restore confidence.

"My second suggestion would be to repeal the 19 per cent tax on state banks. The repeal of this law would do the beople of the south more good than all the free silver laws that can be passed from now until doom's day."

Mr. duBignon then discussed frilly the report of Secretary Carlisie male in 1894, and which all Georgia members of congress approved.

Mr. duBignon, in conclusion, made an eloquent appeal for pure democracy and the salvation of the state from cheap appeals to prefudice and passion. When he finished the audience applatured most enthusiastically. Professor Settle proposed three cheers for duBignon, and the laudience responded enthusiastically. Mr. du-Bignon spoke one hour and a half.

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Subject to the action of the democratic primary to be neld June 6, 1896, for sheriff J. J. Barnes. Deputies, A. W. Hill, M. N. Blount, W. D. Greene, E. A. Donahoe, H. D. Austin, Dick Clarke.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the legislature from Fulton county, subject to the democratic primary, to take place on June 6th.

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JOHN M. SLATON. I announce myself a candidate for member of the house of representatives from Fulton county in the next general assembly, subject to the action of the democratic primary, to be held on June 6, 1886.

T. B. FELDER, JR.

I am a candidate for representative from Fulton county in the next general assembly, subject to the action of the primar to be held 6th June, 1896. CLARENCE KNOWLES. I am a candidate to represent Fultor county in the next general assembly, unject to the action of the primary to be held June 6, 1896.

W' H. PATTERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
I respectfully announce myself as a car
didate for the office of county commission
of Fulton county, subject to the action
the primary June 6th.

E. B. ROSSER.

I hereby respectfully announce of two ters of Fulton county that I am didate for commissioner of roads and enues of this county, subject to the action of the primary on June 6 1896.

H. E. W. PALMER.

I announce myself a candidate for to office of tax collector of Fulton count subject to the primary election on the find that of June.

A. P. TEWART

Thereby announce myself as a cape for the office of coroner of Fulton of and ask the support of my friends pledge myself to work for the officerest.

FOR TAX RECEIVER: I respectfully announce to the voters of Fulton county that I am a candidate for tax receiver, subject to the action of the primary of June 6th. Mr. Dick Harris and Mr. David O. Stewart will be with me in the office. HENRY L. HARRALSON. I most respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of tax receiver of Fulton county, subject to the action of the primary. June 6th.

T. M. ARMISTEAD.

FOR ORDINARY.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of ordinary of Fulton county, subject to the primary election to be held June 6, 1896. If elected, I promise a faithful, fair and efficient discharge of the duties of the office.

WM. H. HULSEY.

April 2, 1896.

I respectfully announce to the voters of Fulton county that I am a candidate for re-election to the position of ordinary subject to the primary of June 8, 1886. My record is before you: if again honored shall bring all my ability and experience to a full and satisfactory discharge of the duties of this important office.

W. L. CALHOUN.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I am a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the primary June 6th, and will be exceedingly grateful for the support of the citizens of Fulton county, and will execute the duties of the office faithfully and prompily.

MARK W. JOHNSON. I am a candidate at the primary on June 6, for the nomination for re-election to the office of county treasurer.

C. M. PAYNE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the primary June 6th. If elected, I promise a thorough business-like administration of the office. FRANK N. MALONE. The friends of Mr. John H. James ap-nounce him as a candidate for treasurer of Fuiton county, subject to the action of the democratic primary June 6th.



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PALMER'S HAIR VIGORATOR.—

THEY COME HOME TOMORROW

Birmingham Was Given a Bad Thumping-No Geme in New Orleans. League Games.

The Atlantas lost the second game of the eason to Columbus yesterday.

crowd was out to see it. Atlanta's fans were not only hopefu it confident that the Atlantas would win. But it seems that the men are not yet in good shape. The story from Columbus and Clanta played as strong a game as the Chattahoochee boys.

The last game of the series will be played this afternoon and then the two teams will come to Atlanta together for three games next week. Brisbine will be thrown open Monday afternoon and a large crowd will be out to see the opening game. Tickets will be on sale Monday morning down town, The five boxes which are for sale and the served seats can be secured at No. 1

New Orleans and Mobile did not play, the came being transferred to Sunday.

Columbus, Ga., April 17.—(Special)—Before a crowd of a thousand paseball fans Atlanta lost her second game today to Columbus on the new grounds at Wildwood park, which is, without doubt, the poores baseball park in the Southern association.

The game was a close contest from beginning to end, and it was not until the last man had retired that the erowd regained their usual amount of breath and realized that they had taken one more game from the Gate City of the South

The umpiring was very unsatisfactory will soon be on deck and leave no more games to the mercy of the players.

Callahan started in to pitch, but owing t severe cramps in his limbs Walker was suit stituted in the third inning. Walker kept the Columbus boys guessing all through the game, resulting in a splendid showing

The run getting was this way Columbus drew a blank in the first, bu Atlanta opened very aggressively, Field making the circuit on a clean single to cen ter, a steal and Callahan's double to left on balls, stole second, moved up to third on an error and secred on Murray's single to right. Russell drew a base on balls, fill-ing the bags, but hope went glimmering when Turner struck out and Fields fouled when Turner struck out and Fields fouled out. Wagner sent Atlanta's total up to three in the fifth inning, by a base on balls, a passed ball and a wild throw, while Turner added another in the sixth, reaching itst on an error, steading second and coming home on Figlia's single to left. Hall robe a Murray of a hit in the eighth. Russell, add a double to right and scored later feel Carroll spoiled a beautiful stop and s hit by a wild throw over the first

Columbus' story of run getting was:
Columbus scored two runs in the third on
a hit and two errors. They made it one better the next inning with a base on balls, hit
by pitcher and an error. The game was
cinched in the eighth, when an error, a
base on balls, a double and a single netted
Columbus three runs. The detailed score is:

Summary—Earned runs, Atlanta 1: two-base hits, Callahan, Dobbins, Russell; Stolen bases, Fields 2, Wagner, Walker, Norton, McDade, Turner, Carroll; first-base on balls, by Callahan 1. Walker 2, Hughes 6; hit by pitched ball, Hughes 1; by Walker 1: struck out by Callahan 2. Walker 5, Hughes 4; passed balls, Fields 2, Dobbins 2. Time of game, two hours. Umpires Cross and Daniels.

Montgomery 18, Birmingham 4. Montgomery, Ala., April 17.—The game to-y between Montgomery and Birmingham as too one-sided, after the fourth inning,

Philadelphia 7, Boston 3. Philadelphia, April 17.—Philadelphia turned the tables on Boston today, the score being the same as that of yesterday. The game was sharply played and the snappy fielding of the local players was in contrast to that of yesterday, Attendance 5,590. Weather clear and warm.

Batteries-Stivetts and Bergen; Orth and Louis 3, Cleveland 5.

Louis, Mo. April 17.—Hart's wildness today's game for the locals. Cuppy hit freely, Connor getting a home All other points in the game were dy divided. Attendance, 3,500; weather The score was:

Baltimore 6, Brooklyn 8. Baltimore, Md., April 17.—With twelve its, seven bases on balls, a wild pitch and his batsman, charged against him, and st out of the fire. The spectators havled the rein disapproval when Keefe called the re on account of darkness, after La-

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Washington 14, New York 6. Washington, April 17.—Washington had little trouble in defeating New York today. Irwin's players had the game well in hand until the sixth, when, with two men on the bases. McAuley, Washington's catcher from Providence, put the ball into the right field bleachers for four bases, and the score was tied. The home players after that batted fercely and won out by a large that batted fiercely and won out by a large margn. Attendance, 2,300. The score was: R.H.E.

Washington 0 2 0 0 1 3 2 1 5-14 16 3 New York 3 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 - 6 11 4 Batteries-McJames and McAuley; Gorman, Zearfoss and Farrell.

Chicago 14, Louisville 3. Louisville, Ky., April 17.—Chicago de-feated Louisville with ease this afternoon. McCreary was very wild and when he put the ball over the plate it was hit hard.

Pittsburg 10. Cincinnati 7.

Cincinnati, April 17.—Pittsburg won again lay. It was nip and tuck to the ninth hing when the visitors scored three runs. It Dwyer and Killen were hit freely, the latter received the better supert. Attendance, 2472. Score: Cincinnati ... 300120001 R.H.E.
Pittsburg ... 000023113-10125
Batteries-Dwyer, Peitz and Vaughn;
Killen and Sugden.

The Techs and McPherson teams will meet at Brisbine park this afternoon. The barracks team is a strong one, while the Techs is one of the best college teams in the south. A good game may be ex-Both teams have been strengthened materially since they last met. The game will start at 3 o'clock.

CROKER'S HORSE RUNS SIXTH.

The English Bookies Think He Won't Be in the Derby.

London, April 17.—The derby spring meet-ing opened today and will be continued tomorrow. The Dovridge handicap stakes of 1,000 sovereigns for three-year-olds and upward, the second horse to receive 50 sovereigns out of the stakes, was won by sovereigns out of the stakes, was won by Lord Cadogan's Court Ball, Vynêer's Sardis second and Rothschild's Medecis third. In the Welbeck handicap Richard Croker's Americus and Eau Gallie, formerly Utica, were entered, but did not start. The winner was Wallace Johnstone's Remember Me.

er Me. The Drikelow stakes was won by King f Pearls. Full Armour was second and Brechin third. Richard Croker's Montauk was favorite

Richard Croker's Montauk was favorite in the betting at 5 to 4, but ran sixth. It was the public and not the stable that made Mortauk the favorite for the Drakelow stakes, the public thinking that Clayton could ride better than Sims. The Croker set were present on the course, but there was no such plunging as in 1895, when the American horses started. The fielding was strong against the American horses before the race and some bookmakers have offered .00 to 25 against Montauk for the derby. His chances for big races over courses longer than the two-year-old comese—five furbongs and 149 yards—are considered out altogether, and his defeat has weakened his position in the Jubilee stakes.

Newport Has Another Good Day. Newbort, Ky., April 17.-The bookles were hit hard today and the talent quit were hit hard today and the talent quit big winner. The attendance was the largest of the meeting, many ladies being present. Margaret B, threw Ham, her rider, in the third race, but neither horse ror boy was hurt. Track fast: weather fine. First race, selling, six furlongs. Aureola 22. Newcom, 4 to 1, won: Elizbert second, Herman third. Time 1:21½.

Second race, seven furlongs. Zanone 29.
J. Gardner, 3 to 5, won: Sidkel second, Probasco third. Time 1:23¼.

Third race, half mile, Lady Looran 196, J. Gardner, 6 to 5, won: Red second, Woodlawn third. Time 1:31½.

Third race, half mile, Lady Looran 106, J. Gardner, 6 to 5, won: Red second, Woodlawn third Time 1812. Fourth race, mile, The Banker 96, N. Morris, 2 to 5, won: Hippogriff second, I. C. W. third. Time 1:41½. Fifth race, mile and fifty yards, selling, Ixion 112, Overton, 3 to 2, won: Goldea Crown second, Tariff Reform third. Time 1:45%.

Sixth race, six furlance Cyclore Gardner, 4 to 1, won; Tremor seed mer Coon third. Time 1:21%.

On the Memphis Track. Men phis, Tenn., April 17 .- The first race Agent was the favorite, yet Bishop Reed, the second choice, was heavily played to win, and did so after a ride by Martin on Agent which was rather peculiar. Favorites and second choices took all but one

ites and second choices took all but one race.

First race, half-mile, Bishop Reed, 163, T. Murphy, 11 to 5, won; Truxillo second, Agent third, Time, 55%.

Second race, six furiongs, Rondo, 107, Sherrer, 8 to 1, won; Hanlon second, Nat P third, Time, 1:16%.

Third race, mile and a half, Mariel, 105, Perkins, 2 to 5, won; Sandoval second, Little Tom third, Time, 2:45%.

Fourth race, one mile, Jane, 97, Bunn, 5 to 2, won; Whisper second, Panjandrum third, Time, 1:45%.

Today's Entries at Memphis.

First race, nine-sixteenths of a mile, Sillilee 97, Manzanita 97, Agent 100, Elyric 00, James Doyle 103, Towerest 106, Chapde 106. 100. James Doyle 103. Towerest 106. Chapple 106.
Second race, one mile, Miss Clark 97.
Geo Beck 103. Tom Kelly 103. Mercury 105.
Mas Home 107. Bobert Latta 108.
Third race. one and one-sixteenth of a mile, Peabody Hotel handicap. Dey Det Mar 108. Assignee 110. Free Advice 112.
Maurice 113. Buck Massie 115.
Fourth race, seven-eighths of a mile, Strabertha 84. Nannie D. 84. Crimson Rim 86. Boro Brave 89. Occulia 95. Adam 95. Defv 97. Willis 97. Dutch Arrow 100.
Francis Hensy 100. imp. Hazleton 100. Lester Guard 100. Wild Arab 106. Koko 109.
Fifth race half mile. Tin Cup 100. Emerine 111 100. Outing 100. Matte Belle 100. Idle Bridge 100. Ella T. 100. Mazeppa 100. Sister Clare 105. Salittilio 105. Lady English 105. Gleny 105. Izeyl 105. Gildie Locks 105. Miss Perkins 98. Royal Choice 88. Tancred 100. Rossmore 160. Denver 109. Feedman 103. Old Dominion 106. King Michael 108.

100, Rossmore 160, Denver 100, Feedman 103, Old Dominion 106, King Michael 106, Overella 109. Today's Entries at Washington.

Today's Entries at Washington.

First race, five-eighths of a mile, Factotum 124, Kinglet 124, The Sage 121, Allen L. 121, Will Elliott 121, Haiton 121, Kennel 121, Margnove 118, Premier 109, Septour 109, Article 106, Intermission 104.

Second race, half mile, Joe Heyman 107, Lissie B. II 102, Bromo 104, Bracalone 104, Sanguine 104, Flash 104, Marsh Harrier 100, Our Rose 98, Wandering Willie 98, Gridley 95, Her Own 95, Privader 95.

Third race, three-quarters of a mile, Blue and Gray handleap, Buckrene 117, Howarden 108, Hurlington 106, Paladin 106, Roundsman 104, Palmerston 102, Hanwell 102, Mrs. Stewart 98, Kallerhoe 95, Fourth race, one mile, Ed Kearney 112, Watchman 109, Shelly Turtle 107, Clarus 107, Restraint 107, Van Brunt 106, Greilan 106, Mello 101, Sue Kittie 101, Brisk 96, Fifth race, about two miles, steeple chase, Mey Blossom 157, Richards 152, Marchan 152, Mill Boy 149, April Fool 137, Races in Chicago.

Races in Chicago. Chicago, April 17.-The two Indiana track records were broken at Forsyth today. In the first race May Gailop, at 20 to 1, covered six furiongs in 1:15 flat, a quarter of a sec-ond better than the previous record, and in the sixth event The Deuce ran five furlongs in 1:01%, which also clipped 1/2 second off the record. Lilliam Wilkes, and Floreanne were the only favorites to win. Hyle rode three winners and a second and a

rode three winners and a second and a third.

First race, six furlongs, May Gallop, 105, Hyle, 20 to 1, won; Pert second, Nikita third. Time, 1:15.

Second race, half-mile, Lillian Wilkes, 110, Clay, 3 to 5, won; F. Garner second, Thomas Payne third. Time, 1:50½.

Third race, five and a half furlongs, Floreanna, 103, Sullivan, 7 to 5, won; Frankie D second, Bart third. Time, 1:09.

Fourth race, five furlongs, Jennie June, 117 Sherland, 5 to 2, won; Hi Henry second. May Asirley third. Time, 1:02.

Fifth race, one mile, Miss Morgan, 94, Hyle, 3 to 1, won; Dick Brehan second. Longdale third. Time, 1:44.

Sixth race, five furlongs, The Deuce, 102, Hyle, 3 to 1, won; Extra second, Ferryman II third. Time, 1:01%.

SUNDAY LAW IN THE BALANCE

Important Decision To Be Made in Washington Monday.

WILL AFFECT MANY INTERESTS

Says Whether Freight Trains Shall Be Operated on Sunday.

THE TEST CASE FROM THE STATE OF GEORGIA

Attorney General Terrell Returns from Washington, Where He Has Argued Several Big Cases.

Attorney General Terrell has just return ed from Washington, where he went to look after several important cases which have been pending for some time before the United States supreme court.

It is expected that a decision will be rendered Monday in the Hennington case, and upon this decision rest matters of vital importance to Georgia and to all the other states in the union in which Sunday laws are operative. The case was carried up from this state several years ago, and was argued about a month ago before the supreme court by the attorney general. Hennington was charged with the viola-

ion of the state law relative to running a freight train on Sunday. According to the state statistics any railway operating a freight train on Sunday after the hour of 8 o'clock a, m. shall be liable to prosecution, and the superintendent of the road shall be charged with a misdemeanor. Such a case was made against Hennington. The road decided not to abide by the decision of the Georgia courts

It is argued by the road that the law is inconstitutional and is in direct conflict with the interstate commerce clause in th constitution. Upon this, they say that it is provided in the statute of the United tates that congress alone shall regulate the interestate commerce law, and that i any law that touches upon the question of interstate commerce. The interstate com merce law has no Sunday restrictions and the roads claim that it is an undue presumption on the part of the state and il legal to override the law relating to inter-

state commerce.
Upon the decision of the court, which is expected to be rendered Monday, hang two important questions: Has the state any right to pass any Sunday law, and if so, has it any right to pass one affecting interstate commerce? The decision is awaited eagerly throughout the whole country. The question of regulating the operation of freight trains on Sunday has a queer history that shows how keenly the dispute has arisen. It was first passed in Virginia some years ago. The roads appealed and carried it up to the supreme court of the state. Here it was considered and strongly fought on both sides. The final decision declared the law constitu-tional, that is, four of the supreme court judges were of this opinion. One failed to agree, and filed a dissenting opinion. law was then taken up by West Virginia and fought to the end in that state Here the supreme court declared it to be constitutional, upon the ground that Sun-day was a legal rest day and that it was a fundamental principle of the federal con-stitution to observe Sunday as a day of rest. Georgia was next in line, and the law has been operative in this state for some

case was taken up from this state. It is a test case, and the decision of the supreme provision. This decision will also settle the question whether prosecution shall be continued against a number of superintendents in Georgia against whom indictments rest. Soon after the law was passed in this state the roads ignored any provisions on the subject and continued to operate their freight trains. In consequence numerous indictments followed. Cases were made in every part of the state. The roads raised a strenuous kick and appealed to the attorney general. Un-der his advice the cases were held up, the roads agreeing not to operate any further, and the courts to stop prosecution until the decision in the Hennington case was made. Should this decision sustain the state aw all of these old cases will have to be taken up again.

The result of the case is not only of great interest to all the roads in their Sunday traffic, but it affects all Sunday laws. Especially are the engineers, the conductors, the firemen and all other employes of the railroads interested. It may mean that they will be called upon to work on Sundays. In every respect, the case is of wide interest, and the result will be watched eagerly. oads agreeing not to operate any further,

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What of Fruit Rates?

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While in Washington Attorney General Terrel looked into the case affecting was argued before the supreme court about the rate on the shipment of fruit, which six weeks ago. This is a case of more than passing importance to the people of Georgia. It is the fight of the Fruit Growers' Association of the state against what they claim is the exorbitant charge of the



Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in forts—genue end. There is comfort in rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual dis-ease, but simply to a constipated cendi-tion of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs. promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its bene-ficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California

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railroads in the transportation of fruit. The fight began last season. It was claimed by the growers that they could not grow fruit with any profit under the rates then existing. The charge was \$162 a car load. When the case was carried before the state railroad commission, which gave the matter a thorough investigation, the growers won out, and \$130 a car was suggested. The railroads refused to yield to this suggestion. It was brought before the interstate commerce commission, which exhausted all evidence and withheld decision.

It is a matter of great interest to all the fruit growers in the state whether the decision is made in time to affect the decision is made in time to affect the present crop.

"I looked into the case when I was in Washington," said the attorney general yesterday. "It is my opinion that a decision will be made about the 1st of May:" The Nobles Case.

Attorney General Terrell also made a motion for an advance in the Nobles case. The decision in the United States court, southern division, has been appealed from It is a well known fact that the business in the supreme court is about four years behind. It is the desire of those interested to have the case advanced and disposed of as quickly as possible. The decision on the motion to advance will be made Monday.

THE PASSING THRONG.

CALDER'S DENTINE, regular price
25c, limit 1: special Saturday's cut... 14c
BAILEY'S SWAN DOWN, regular
price 25c, limit 2; special Saturday's cut 5c
PINAUD'S SOAP, Violet and White
Rose, regular price 25c, limit 3; special
Saturday's cut, per cake........... 18c
PIERRE'S IMPORTED PERFUMES.
A choice and elegant perfume, suggestive of the richness and sweetness of a
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Crabapple, Musk, White Rose, Violet,
New Mown' Hay, Jasmine and Heliotrope. ors last night in the interest of the Southern Settlers' convention, which is to be held at Southern Pines, N. C., early next month. Mr. George S. May was chosen chairman. The purpose of the convention was stated to be to get an expression from the northern and foreign-born residents of the south on the advantages of this section homes. The social and business relations of settlers to the native-born, the climate, the resources of the county are subjects of which the testimony of settlers is desired for the information of the people of the north and west and in Europe

A letter was read from J. T. Patrick, secretary of the Southern Interstate Immigration and Industrial Association wrote that the convention will be largely ttended by southern and northern people. Fifty prominent newspapers will be resented to hear and publish what the ettlers in the south have to say. Talks on he importance of a large delegation from Atlanta were made by Messrs. W. M. Scott, A. R. Bryan, J. P. Averill. E. J. Walker, C. R. Haskins and others. Mr. Bryan told of the first convention which was held at Asheville, and the work done at the great Augusta convention was outlined. It was stated that much interest is felt in Atlanta on this subject, and the probabil lies are that a large delegation will go up to the convention. The round trip rate from Atlanta is only \$3, and the hotels have made a special rate of \$2 a day for those attending the convention. The following are among those who it was said would are among those who it was said would probably go from here: Mr. George S. May, Mr. W. M. Scott and Mrs. Scott, General J. R. Lewis and Mrs. Lewis, Mr. F. B. Shepard, Major C. T. Watson, Governor Northen and Mrs. Northen, Governor R. B. Bullock, Messrs. George S. Brown, W. C. Warner, A. R. Boykin, H. P. Averill, C. R. Hackins, I. A. Averill, George L. Wood. Haskins, J. A. Averill, George L. Wood, Henry Lewis, L. B. Nelson and T. S

John W. Evans, a prominent lumberman and banker of Ashburn, Ga., is at the Kim-

Judge A. J. Crovatt and Bolling Whitheld, of Brunswick, were at the Kimball vesterday.

Mr. Joseph Bannigan, wife and niece, of Providence, R. I., are at the Aragon. Mr. Bannigan is one of the leading capitalists and manufacturers of New England. Mr. Bannigan has been all over the south— over the world in fact, but this is 'nis first visit to Atlanta. He expresses himself much pleased with the Exposition

Mr. C. T. Annie, of the Aragon, rode out to Lithia Springs yesterday on his wheel in one hour and a half. The distance is twenty-three miles. This is a record-breaking

it is remarkable time for the distance. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Banagan and daughter, of Providence, are at the Aragon.

Among others at the Aragon yesterday Among others at the Aragon yesterday were: Dr. D. Day, United States Geological survey: L. G. Walker, New York: Chorles B. Hatch, Rochester, N. Y.; James T. Minetrool, Chicago: D. McNamao, Meadville, Pa.; James F. Scott, Lexington, Ky.; J. Frank Braids, Providence; James Martin, Philadelphia; Dr. Morrill Wyman; Miss Lillian Horsford; Mrs. Charles F. Walcote, Cambridge, Mass; S. L. Finley, Memphis.

On the Markham register yesterday were:
P. Lineham, Raleigh; W. O. Brown, Richmond; Ely Moore, Kansas City; Mrs. M. A. Palmer, Mad'son, Ca.; Mr. and Mrs W. P. Gray, Springfield, Mass: W. H. Park, Cincinnati: John G. Webber, Nashville; H. L. Covington, Waycross; H. G. Smith, New York; Miss Effle Murphy, Macon; J. P. Dodge, Cleveland, O.; G. F. Irvin, Lumpkin, Ga.; H. A. Hoyles and family, Jackson, Ga.; Rev. W. H. Sherman, Portland, Ore; R. G. Matthews, Bowersville, Ga.; R. W. Crane, Cincinnati; J. W. Rubel, Birmingham; W. J. Redington and wife, New York; Mrs. C. H. Eldredge, Tallapoosa; T. J. James, Odrain, Ga James, Odrain, Ga

Among those at the Kimball were: E. J. Cumming, Boston: H. E. Toussant, New York; L. C. Mandeville. S. Holderness, Carrollton, Ga.: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Southworth, Lowell, Mass; Hamilton McWhorter, Lexington; J. N. Hall, Eatonton; Joseph A. Wagner and wife, Cincinnati.

Captain John A. Miller, councilman from the fourth ward, is in Nashville on bus less. He will return tomorrow.

Weather Syncpsis and Forecast. The temperatures have increased in the central Mississippi valley and in the south-eastern states, while up in the northwest and in the western lake regions it is considerably cooler since the last report. The maximum temperature in this city was 80 degrees, which is the warmest weather experienced in Atlanta in April in the past seventeen years. No rain of any consequence fell anywhere yesterday.

For Georgia today: Fair; continued warm.

Local Report for Yesterday.

Daily mean temperature. 73
Daily normal temperature. 63
Highest temperature 89
Lowest temperature 6640 p. m. 6.00
Deficiency of precipitation since Jan. 1st 9.57
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Proprietary Medicines.

Probably you'll think that these things can't be worth much, or else that the

printer got the price wrong, but come and see. You'll have to come today,

though, for the prices are only for today.

Out-of-Town Orders Must Reach Us By Tuesday.

LITTLE TO PAY

LOTS TO SAVE

Prices That Will Bring

Many Buyers.

Kola NERVINE TABLETS, regular prince \$1: limit 1: special Saturday's cut.65c CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS, BROWN'S IRON BITTERS, regular

price \$1, limit 1; special Saturday's cut.. 55c HOFF'S EXTRACT MALT, regular price 50c, limit 3; special Saturday's cut 25c
BELLADONNA PLASTERS, regular price 25 limit 3; special Saturday's cut 25c rice 25, limit 3; special Saturday's cut 10c LASKER'S PINE SPLINTERS.—One

nent, speedy and painless cure for corns and callouses. Regular price 15c, limit 1; special Saturday's cut... PLATT'S CHLORIDES, regular price

regular price 25c, limit 2; Saturday M. A. SIMMONS'S LIVER MEDI-CINES, regular price 25c, limit 1; Satur-BENSON'S CAPSINE PLASTER, reg-BENSON'S CAPSINE PLASTER, reglar price 25c, limit 1; Saturday

JACOBS' SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES, a tonic nutrient and restorative. The leading therapeutic agents
used in replacing the waste of nerve
force and for building up the general
system are the hypophosphites, and this
preparation, carefully made in our laboratory, from the chemically pure hypophosphites. Regular price 75c, limit 1;
special Saturday's cut.

KING'S ROYAL GERMETUER, ING'S ROYAL GERMETUER, ular price \$1, limit 1, special Satur-

SHALLENEERGER'S SHAMPOO POWDER, an excellent preparation for cleansing the hair, removing dandruff and preventing a diseased condition of the scalp, Regular price 25c, limit 2, spe-cial Saturday's cut. day's cut.

CUTILINA SOAP, regular price 25c cake, limit 3, special Saturday's cut.

RUBIFOAM, regular price 25c, limit 1, special Saturday's cut.

SEA SALT, for the bath, very refreshing, large boxes, regular price 50c, limit 1, special Saturday's cut per box.

ROGER & GALLET'S VIOLET SOAP, regular price 35c cake, limit 2

prince \$1; limit 1; special Saturday's cut.

DANDELION BUTTER COLOR, perfectly harmless and gives butter a rich golden color, regular price \$5c, limit 2, Special Saturday's cut. WYETH'S BEEF, IRON AND WINE, pint bottles; regular price, \$1; limit 1; special Saturday cut.

LASKER'S PINE SPLINTERS.—One of the best preparations sold for the treatment of all kidney troubles. Its excellence is due to its presenting in a form most acceptable to the taste and the efficacy of its ingredients, in effectually cleaning the stomach and promptly curing all diseases of the bladder. Kegular price \$1, limit 1; special Saturday's cut.

cures without fail all headaches arising from any nervous disorder, regular price 25c, limit 2, special Saturday's

LISTRINE, regular price \$1, limit 1 VIN KOLAFRA, regular price \$1 PERFECTION TAN POLISH, liquid and paste, regular price 25c, limit 2, special Saturday's cut.

CHLORIDE LIME, in pound boxes, regular price 26c, limit 1, special Saturday's cut.

PO. BORAX, regular price 25c perpound, special Saturday's cut per pound.

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JACOBS' CORN SALVE .- A perma

BRIGG'S HEADACHE TROCHES

limit 1, special Saturday's cut.

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HAZEL, regular price 35c, hmit 2,
special Saturday's but. BAKER'S STOCK POWDER, full packages, regular price 25c, limit 2, special Saturday's cut...

JACOBS' CELERY PHOSHPATE. LIQUID—Celery as a true nerve food and tonic has long been known to the medical profession. In this valuable preparation it is associated with that greatest of all vegetable tonics, Calisaya bark and with the nervine, liquid of hops. Regular price \$1. Special Saturday's cut. of hops. Regular price \$1. Special Saturday's cut. PERFECTION TAN POLISH, liquid

PLATT'S CHLORIDES, regular price 50c, limit 1: special Saturday's cut...
WARNER'S SAFE Kidney and Liver Cure, regular price \$1.25; limit one bottle. Special Saturday cut...
CUTILINA LOTION.—A most excellent preparation for the relief and cure of all skin diseases, inflamed surfaces, eruptions, itchings, etc. Regular price 50c, limit 1: special Saturday's cut...
PALMER'S ELECTRIC PLASTERS, regular price 25c, limit 2: Saturday

cut...

MELLIN'S FOOD, regular price 75c, 1mit 1 bottle, special Saturday's cut... 5
BROMO SELTZER, regular price 25c, 1mit 1 bottle, special Saturday's cut... 1
POND'S EXTRACT WITCH HAZEL, regular price 50c, 1imit 1, Saturday's cut...

per package loc, limit of special day's cut per package...

FLAVORING EXTRACTS, Lemon, Pineapple, Banana, Str. Rose, Celery, Peach, etc., price 25c, limit 1 each, special

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price 25c, limit 1 each, special day's cut.

JACOBS' BEDBUG EXTER TOR-This preparation, if well will destroy these vermin. Bettile, it does not stain. We have known of a customer being dis with it out of many thousands tles sold. Regular price 25c, special Saturday's cut....

PALIMEP'S TOUL FOR BARDEN. PALMER'S TOILET PAPER, price \$1 dozen packs, limit 1

Saturday

JAPANESE TOOTHPICKS, bard ished wood, limit 1 dozen, regular special Saturday's cut, per packas Each customer limited to three ESTIL SPRINGS WHISKY, respected per quart \$1.25, limit 1, seturday's cut.

OLD OSCAR PEPPER, regular \$1.55, Saturday cut price.

OLD CROW WHISKY, regular \$1.50, Saturday's cut price.

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PEACH AND HONEY, made fine old peach brandy and strained ey, the best thing for coids and co regular price 75c, special cut.

MURPHY'S MALT, a splendid regular price 11. Saturday's cut paper price 11. Saturday's cut paper price 11. Saturday's cut paper price 11.50, limit 1, Saturday PONTET CANET CLARET Wregular price 11.50, limit 1, Saturday CALIFORNIA SHERRY WINE, ular price 75c quart, Saturday OLD HERMITAGE, regular 131.50, special Saturday cut.

FINCH'S GOLDEN WEDDI WHISKY, regular price 11.75, spe OLD HERMITAGE, regular 1 \$1.50, special Saturday cut... FINCH'S GOLDEN WEDDI WHISKY, regular price \$1.75, spe Saturday's cut... JAMAICA RUM, regular price \$

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TOLU ROCK AND RYE, regular p.
75c, special Saturday's cut.

MOUNTAIN CORN WHISKY, a quarts, regular price \$1.00, special cut
HENESSY BRANDY (3 stars), res lar price \$2, limit 1, Saturday spec PEACH PRANDY, regular price \$1.

HOLLAND GIN, regular price 31. ported, regular price 65c, limit 1, Saturday's cut.

MOSS ROSE, in quarts, regular price 17.75, special Saturday's cut. day's cut. ... WATER, regular pric three hard rubber pipes, regular price 75c, limit 1: special Saturday's cut... PALMER'S FAVORITE FOUNTAIN SYRINGE, one quart, regular price \$1: Saturday's cut... Two quarts, regular price \$1.25; Sat-

PALMER'S FAVORITE HOT WA-TER BOTTLES, limit 1: One quart, regular price 75c; special Two quarts, regular price 85c; special Three quarts, regular price \$1; special Four quarts, regular price \$1.15; spe-

cial cut.
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NEW 'PHONE SYSTEM.

Atlanta Telephone Company Desire the Right To Construct and Maintain a System-Will Get It. The Atlanta Telephone Company, the

TELEPHONE COMMITTEE WILL

REPORT FAVORABLY ON IT.

concern recently organized for the purpose of establishing a new telephone system in the city, have asked the council for a charter. The petition was considered by the telephone committee yesterday morn-ing, and will be reported to the council Monday.

The committee will recommend that

with certain restrictions the petition be granted. It is proposed to put the company on a substantial basis, and the committee decided to report an ordinance requiring it to strictly conform to the laws regulating telephone companies. A bond will be required as an evidence of good faith on the part of the company.

The new company is headed by Messrs.

Baer, James, Bell, Rosser and Carter and others. It was recently organized and the promoters claim that they have already seoured 2000 subscribers. The company pro poses to reduce the price of telephone ser-vice. It asks for the right to construct vice. It asks for the right to construct and maintain a first-class telephone ex-change and system.

Mr. John D. Easterlin, Mr. W. T. Gen-try and Mr. Albert Howell, Jr., represent-ing the Southern Bell and Telephone Com-pany, were present at the committee meet-ing yesterday and they asked that the new company be required to give a bond and observe the rules they were required to

live up to. The old company is not making a fight on the new company further than to ask the city to require the new company to guarantee to construct a first-class system and maintain it. They asked that the new franchise be non-transferable and so restricted that the company cannot trade it off or sell it, but must go in the business in good faith. The old company is under \$10,000 bond to the city to properly conduit its wires, in the fire limits, and they ask that the new concern be required to give the same bond.

City Attorney Anderson will draw up an ordinance covering the petition of the new company, and the decision of the committee and it will be reported to the council favorably. Still another concern is in the field for a telephone franchise. The Citizens' Mutual Telephone Company petitioned the council for the usual rights of such a company. The petition is in the hands of the telephone committee. Cut by an Italian.

Columbus, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)--In a difficulty at a late hour last night on Broad stret, Mr. G. G. Brown, of Eatonton, Ga., was cut and bruised by an Italian of the city with whom he had had some words. It is said that Brown provoked the assault, but this is not definitely known, tra, has been summoned to appear before the recorder tomorrow. Mr. Brown's in-juries are not serious, though he was ren-dered unconscious for a time by the assault, having been seriously bruised about the head and it is thought slightly cut.

Marshal Harrell Very Ill.

Brunswick, Ga., April 17.—(Special.)— United States Marshal Harrell arrived here tonight on business. He was taken very ill while en route and reached Brunswick in care of Dr. Hugh Burford, who met him

ing easy and Dr. Burford states that he will be able to travel tomorrow morning unless a decided change takes place in his condition. He will go to his home in Bainbridge. News of his illness did not get abroad generally, but many have called abroad generally, but many have called to inquire since it became known.

TRANSFER CHARGES

Causes a Petition To Be Presented to Savannah's Council.

Savannah, Ga., April 17 .- (Special.) - Cap-Savannah, Ga., April II.—(Special.)—Captain D. G. Purse, Commissioner of the Savannah freight bureau, went before the city council today with a petition asking that body to take action in reference to the fransfer charges on the spur tracks of the Central railroad and the Plant system, which run along the wharves, and of which which run along the wharves, and of which the wharf owners and merchants who use them have made complaint. The position taken is that the city has control of the tracks as to charges and the ouncil has been asked to pass an ordinance fixing the charges definitely. The matter has also been presented to the railroad commission and is slated to come up April 21st.

Forecast for Saturday. North and South Carolina and Georgia Fair, with continued warm weather Sa urday; easterly to southerly winds.

Eastern Florida-Fair; Mississippi and Eastern Texas-Generally fair; southerly winds.

Tennessee and Kentucky—Increcloudiness, with continued warm we decreasing Saturday; cooler by Su southerly winds.

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Professor Hanlein Was Given a Verdict Yesterday Morning.

THE NEWS OF THE COURTS

Charles Hotton, Charged with the Murder of Ida Elliott, Indicted for Felony Yesterday.

When East Georgia avenue was widened several years ago the property of Professor Hanlein was cut through, leaving a little narrow strip of land on the south side of the street seven feet wide at one end and only three feet wide at the other.

This strip of land was something over four hundred feet in length and adjoined another lot which fronted on Capitol avenue. Some time after the street was widened the city began paving the street and laying sidewalks and curbing. The street alongside the property of Professor Hanlein was improved in the same manner as was the entire street for the length of that block, and Professor Hanlein was asked to pay the city \$80, the amount which was due on account of the paying.

Professor Hanlein refused to make this payment into the treasury of the city, as he contended that his property had not been improved and consequently he should not be required to pay anyting for the work, which he claimed was done at the instance of the city and not voluntarily by nce of the city and not voluntarily by

When Professor Hanlein refused to pay he amount fi. fas. were issued by the city in the sum of \$880. Professor Hanlein retained the services of Attorney L. Z. Rosser, and a bill was filed in the superior court praying that the city be enjoined from levying the fi. fas. and selling the property. This injunction was granted in the superior court, and the case was appealed to the supreme court, and the verdict of the lower court was sustained. The hearing yesterday before Judge Lumpkin was before a jury and was made secure a verdict relieving Prosor Haniein or his property from any future emergency which might arise. Just before the matter went to a jury City Attorney Anderson moved that the fi. fas. e dismissed. The jury brought in a ver-ect declaring that Professor Hanlein rould not be forced to pay for the improvements, as his property was in such a shape that no benefits could be received.

Hotton Indicted for Felony. Charles Hotton, the young man held for

the murder of Ida Elliott, with whom he was infatuated, was indicted by the grand ury yesterday morning on the charge of

bill of indictment does not state the nature of the felony and does not go

charged with the murder of the Elliott girl, who died under apparently suspicious

girl, who died under apparently suspicious croumstances. It was claimed by a relative of the read girl that Hotton had administered poison or death producing preparations and that her death was due to the work of his hand.

Hotton emphatically denies the charge, and says he is being persecuted by the relatives of the dead girl, because they did not favor him. The case will be reached at the next term of the criminal superior court and he will be tried under the indictment which was found yesterday.

Work of the Grand Jury.

The grand jury was in session several hours yesterday and during the session twenty-two cases were investigated and true bills were returned in all except two, which were thrown out. The cases investigated were of a minor nature and the charges were burglary, assault and battery and other offenses of a similar character. om Trailor, the negro who was charged with arson, was not indicted, as the evi-dence was not strong enough to secure his

Brings Suit Against the City. Green Bryan says he was badly hurt while in the employ of the city s inal weeks ago, and as he has been suffering from his injuries and has been correlled to pay for the services of a physician, he says he should be given remuneration.

Bryan states in his petition, which was he says he should be given remuneration. Bryan states in his petition, which was filed yesterday by Attorneys P. P. Smith and R. R. Shropshire, that he was working with a gang of men in lifting heavy rock from an excavation that was being made for a water main. He says he was carrying a large stone up a hill when the man at the other end let the stone fall, and that his fingers and left hand were badly crushed and mashed, making it necessary for several of his fingers to be amputated.

The suit is brought in the amount of \$1,500 and is directed to the city court. THE INJUNCTION DENIED.

The Case Against the Kay-Lipscom Company Has Been Disposed Of.

The case of the Farmers' Mutual In-surance Association and R. O. Medlock against the Kay-Lipscomb Company and G. Jones for an injunction against both and a receiver for the Kay-Lipscomb Company has been heard and determined by Judge umpkin in chambers. The injunction was denied and the receiver refused.

On the hearing it developed that the

ers' Mutual Insurance Association was not a party to the case and that its name had been used without authority; also none of the affairs of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Association were be-fore the court for determination.

Affidavits were read in connection with the answer. The answer denied every material allegation to the petition. Medock was described in the affidavits as having a hurgry desire to get possession of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Associaand that he was anxious to do so, whether the law allowed him to do so or not. It also appeared from the answers and affidavits that the answers and Kay-Lipscomb Company simply was acting as agent for the Farmers' Mutual and had not attempted to control Mutual and had not attempted to control the association, as was alleged in the petition. After all the papers were submitted to the court and Attorney Jerome, of Hunt & Jerome, representing Medlock, had addressed the court Judge Lumpkin stated

CITY LOST ITS CASE that he would deny the injunction and refuse the receiver. Mr. Hunt, however, desired to be heard, and the court allowed him to proceed. The court still adhered to its former decision and refused the prayers made without hearing from Messrs. Green & Townes, who represented the defendants in the case.

CONTEST FOR NEW MEMBERS

RAILROAD Y. M. C. A. HAS INSTI-TUTED A NEW PLAN.

Two Energetic Teams Organized To Increase the Membership-The Captains Elected.

A movement was inaugurated last night to greatly increase the membership of the railroad department of the Young Men's Christian Association. The membership committee took supper together at the rooms, and afterwards held an enthusiastic meeting. The committee consists of twenty picked men, with Captain R. P. Dodge as chairman, and they propose to make their

membership contest, two teams taking the field, each rivaling the other in securing the largest number. The captains were chosen, and the teams, to be known as the Blues and Greens, two standard railroad Mr. S. A. Wardlow, yardmester of the Central of Georgia railway, was elected captain of the Greens, with the following on his team: J. C. Rudisitt, H. C. Garri-

It was decided last night to enter upon a

son, G. W. Andrews, J. W. McDade, L. F. Bowen, W. A. Wooddall, R. A. Cook, R. C. White, C. W. Eddins, R. I. Kelly. Mr. George C. Coleman, chief clerk to the general yardmaster of the Southern railway, was chosen to lead the Blues. This team is made up of the following well-known railroad men: M. A. Shanks, J. W. Acker, W. F. Hetzel, Charles A. Metcalfe,

Joe M. Walker, C. E. Turner, A. W. Beau-prie, C. W. Legerton, W. H. Gregory, E. D. Shattuck. The contest is to run sixty days, closing on June 25th at 9 o'clock p. m. Rules to govern the contest were adopted and the work will be pushed with energy. Reports will be made daily at the rooms, where a registry will always be open to the inspection of the contestants. On the even-

ng of July 4th a banquet will be given in honor of the winning team.

If the enthusiasm of last night is to be taken as an index of the way the contest will be pushed the membership will un-doubtedly be largely increased. The association is constantly growing more popular with the railroad men on account of the many excellent privileges offered and es-pecially are the fine baths appreciated as

the hot days creep on.

The committee of management will see to it that ample provisions are made for all, though the membership should reach one thousand, which it seems likely to do un-

JOURNEYMEN CAN WORK.

New Plumbing Ordinance To Be Re-

ported to Council. board of health considered a number of questions at its meeting yesterday afternoon. Routine business was presented in plenty. The board received a communication from the water board relating to the flushing of sewers. It seems that the board of water commissioners desire to direct the flushing of sewers, thinking that

A new plumbing ordinance was discussed by the board and after being materially amended it was approved. The proposed

amended it was approved. The proposed ordinance at first carried a provision making it unlawful for any plumber not holding a plumber's certificate to accept a plumbing contract, but it was stated that the law would restrict the right of competent journeymen plumbers to ply their trade and work an injustice upon them. The board refused to pass the section, which would have put the plumbing business of the entire city in the hands of a few master plumbers, it is said.

A section of the ordinance approved makes it a rule that all plumbers shall submit a plan of the work they propose to do, which must be approved by the plumbing inspector before the work is commenced. Chief Veal, of the sanitary department, opposed the section denying journeymen plumbers the right to centract and .do plumbing work on their own account. Journeymen plumbers hold certificates of competency and they claim that they should be allowed to have full liberty with their labor.

THE GAME IS OFF.

Battle Between the Techs and the Uni-

versity Will Not Be Fought. The game of ball between the University f Georgia and the Technological school which was to have been played in thems this afternoon, has been called off. For a month the lovers of intercollegiate For a month the lovers of intercollegiate athletics have been looking forward to this game and it will be a disappointment to know that it is off. The university refused to abide by the law which excludes any players from these contests who have received compensation for playing anywhere, and on this account the game was called off.

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The university also refused to allow Vaughn, of the Techs, to enter the game, saying he was matriculated later than one month after the spring term opened. They would not agree to enter the game at all while Vaughn played with the Techs.

This afternoon the Tech baseball team faces the barracks team at Brisbine park. A good game is expected, as the games won by both are evenly divided and each team is out for the other's scalp.

The teams are as follows:

Tech—Smith, catcher: Cox, pitcher; James, first base: Everett, second base; LaFitte, shortstop: Whitney, third base; McCall, left field; Hill, center field; Hart, right field.

right field
Earracks-Miller, catcher; Shultz, pitcher; Greenly, first base; Rankin, second base; Mylatt, shortstop; Anderson, third base; Sabeasky, right field; Collier, center field; Murray, left field.

Both will have their strongest teams out, and a good game will be played.

A Convenience of a Small Country. John Burroughs "Fresh Fields."
On striking the highway again, I met the postmistress, stepping briskly along with the morning mail. Her husband had died, and she had taken his place as mail carrier. England is so densely populated, the country is so like a great city suburb, that your mail is brought to your door

NEWS OF THE ROADS

Annual Meeting of the American Railway Association Just Over.

COLONEL HAINES RETURNS

He Declined Re-Election as President, Which Office He Had Held for Nine Years.

Colonel W. S. Haines returned yesterday from Cincinnati, where he went to preside over the American Railway Association.

This was his last meeting as president He was president for nine years and saw the organization grow from nothing to be the strongest association of railway men in the United States. When it was first organized the association was known as the Time convention. It started off with fiftyfour companies as members. They represented about 35,000 miles. Now 235 companies, with 150,000 miles of line, have membership. Originally the association discuss ed schedules and standard time, but' as i grew older its scope broadened and now the organization handles all kinds of practical partment.

It formulated the standard time rules. At the Cincinnati meeting car service resolutions were adopted, fixing uniform mileage rates of 3 cents for passenger and 1½ cents for combination and other lower grade cars. Action was taken on a new code of rules to govern interlocking and block signals, covering the three signal systems now in

use in America. The new committee on the regulation of employes was given more time to report and the subject went over to the New York meeting, as did the subject of safety

Colonel Haines was ineligible for re-election under the rules, he having retired from connection with the operating de-partment of railroads. The convention would have changed the rules, but he did not want that done. He has had the honors of the association, having been president ever since its organization. He has represented it abroad in the European rails meetings and before royalty.

President E. T. Myers, of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Com-pany, was elected president, to succeed Colonel Haines, now the commissioner of the Southern States Freight Association. E. B. Thomas, president of the Eric railway, was elected first vice president of the Joseph Wood, fourth vice president of the

Pennsylvania, was elected second vice pres-William H. Baldwin, Jr., of the Southern railway, and Roller H. Wilder, of the Lehigh Valley, were added to the executive

Railway Notes.

President Smith, of the Atlanta and West Point, was at Montgomery yesterday. Mr. Sam Hardwick, of the Southern, who has been very ill this week, is improving. Mr. S. L. Finley, commissioner of the Memphis Passenger Association, was here yesterday, and called on Commissione Thomas, of the Southern Passenger Asso

It is stated that the Southern has made a a long term of years.

If yesterday's weather continues the roads will have to put on their seashore schedules and rates. The New York Central re-elected its old board of directors. Among others on the board are Cornelius Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew. W. K. Vanderbilt and J. Pierpont Morgan. About \$65,000,000 out of \$100,000,000 stock was represented at the annual

F. P. Olcott, of New York, has been elected president of the Galveston, Henderson and Houston railroad. George Gould is on

the executive board. Vice President W. W. Finley, of the midnight on his way to Washington General Manager Warren, of the Grea Northern company, has appointed Cyrus H. Jenks superintendent of the Montana Cen tral railway, with headquarters at Great Falls. Mr. Jenks has for the past two years been superintendent of the northern division of the Great Northern, with headquarters in

Grand Forks. Mr. C. G. Waldo, general manager of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton, yesterday issued an annual pass to the Hon.

Mark McMaken, who, in 1851, forty-five years ago, superintended the building of the road between Cincinnati and Dayton. Mr. McMaken is today as hale and hearty as he was fifty years ago, and bids fair to see the dawning of the twentieth century. He naturally takes a great deal of pride in the old road, and it was in recognition of this feeling that President Woodford, in compliance with Mr. Waldo's request, au-

thorized the issuance of the pass.

L. Z. Wynne, superintendent of the Knoxville. Cumberland Gap and Louisville, and . Tipton, general freight and passenger agent, are continued in their positions by the Southern. Ontil further notice Auditor H. G. Fraser and Treasurer E. Fairfax vill act as assistant auditor and assistant

treasurer, respectively, with headquarters at Knoxville. General Superintendent Green, of the Southern, takes charge of the operating department.

Arrangements are being made by the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo for a realistic railroad collision or smash-up, the irst exhibition of the kind ever given in America. The collision is to be a feature at a summer resort place on the line. Old

olling stock will be used. Twenty years ago the average capacity of a freight car was 20,000 pounds, while today 75 per cent of the equipment is rated at 80,000 pounds capacity, and some cars are now building with 80,000 pounds capacity. Thirty cars hauled by one of the large freight engines today represents, says a car service superintendent, 100 cars of twenty years ago. The box car of twenty years ago carried 300 bushels of grain: the tandard box car of today, 1,000

The weight of passenger trains, including the sleeping cars, has been increased al-

most proportionately with the freight equip-

IN NEW DRESS SUITS. Major Callaway Orders New Uniforms

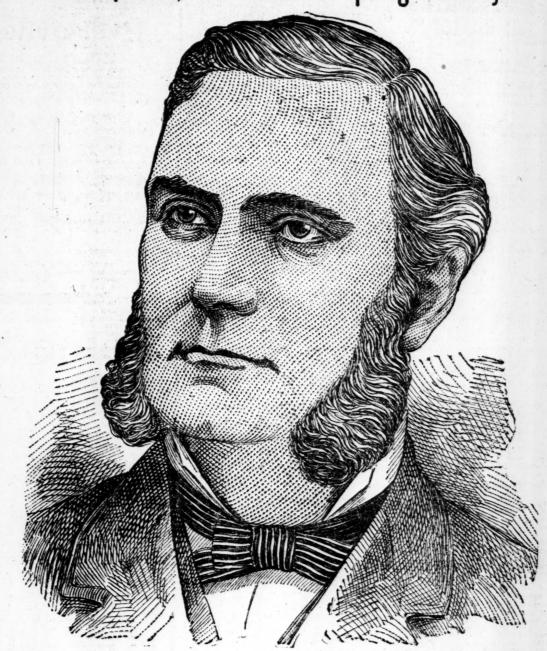
for the Staff. The governor's staff is going to dress up. Each individual of that body is to fit him-

self up in the style in which he should go. Hereafter they will be equal to every occasion, be it social or state. A dress suit has been ordered for each member of the staff. Major Callaway did the ordering. His aesthetic taste and uner-ring judgment directed the entire transacring judgment directed the entire transaction. In fact, it is said that the idea of dress suits originated with Major Callaway, but be that as it may all of the negotiations rested with him. The judy contract for cutting, making and furnishing the dress suits was given to Henderson, Ames & Co., of Kalamazoo, Mich. The suits are to be beautites, as they should be. The new regulation cap will go with the outfit. It will be a splendid equipment.

Who the Real Competitors Are. Who the Real Competitors Are.
From The Press (Rep.) Philadelphia.
While nothing definite can at present be concluded, from the situation it is easy to see that the real competitors are McKinley. Reed and Allison, and that Quay, Cullom and Morton are not likely to obtain delegates outside their own states, and no one of them is even sure of a solid support from his home delegation. The withdrawal of Senator Davis, of Minsenota, showed that he recognized the situation. All creditors of the estate of Jerry Murphy, late of Fulton country, deceased, are hereby notified to render in their demands to the undersigned according to law, and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment. April 18, 1886. ABBIE MURPHY, Admx, apr 18 6t sat Room 617 Temple Court.

JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT.

Congressman Powers Enthusiastic Over Paine's Celery Compound, the Greatest Spring Remedy.



Judge Powers, who today represents Vermont in congress, entered the national house with a magnificent record as lawyer and judge of the supreme court of Ver-

He is a fine type of the careful, learned New England lawyer.

Though but fifty-six years of age, he was a member of the Vermont legislature a third of a century ago, and again in 1874, when he was speaker of the house. He has been state censor, a member of the constitutional convention and of the state senate. In 1874 he became judge of the supreme court of Vermont and remained on the bench until 1890, when he took his seat in congress. Judge Powers pre-sided at many of the most notable trials in the history of the state, and is the auther of many of the most important opin-No judge on the supreme bench in any of our states has a reportation for more

clearly and unmistakably expressing his opinions. His unqualified indorsement of Paine's celery compound in the following letter is as straightforward and concise

DAMAGE CASE WITHDRAWN

Klontz Suit for \$25,000 Settled Out of

Court.

of her husband, who was run over and kill-

ed by a locomotive at Hiram, Ga., on No-

ember 5th, was yesterday withdrawn, A

settlement was reached out of court which

The case had been before Judge Newman

was satisfactory to all parties concerned

DEATH OF A STRANGER.

Mr. A. D. McLean, of Illinois, Dies at

the Aragon.

Mr. A. D. McLean, of Bloomington, Ill.,

died yesterday morning at the Aragon hotel. Mr. McLean was on his way home from Thomasville, where he had been for

some time for the benefit of his health.

being a sufferer with consumption. He had been here only a short time before he

His remains were sent to Bloomington

DIED.

Miss Gertrude Allyn, of this city.

Men Made Over

neatth, manhood, and vigor. Night losses, drains and emissions cease at once. The Errors of Youth, Premature Decline, Lost Manhood, and all Diseases and Weaknesses of Man, from whatever cause, permanently and privately cured.

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Our regular \$500 package Paris Vital Sparks, a full month's treatment, 100 doses, sent Free for a fee days only. Mailed closely sealed. Cut this out. It only appears once. Write now, lo-day. THE DR ARCHAMBAULT CO. Dept. 2 (Botton, Mass. U. S. A.

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BLUE."
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"COLORADO RESORTS."
Issued by passenger department of the Gulf road and the South Park line.
Address B. L. Winchell, general passenger agent, Denver, Col. apr 16—4t

Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

All creditors of the estate of Jerry Mur

ALLYN-Died in Jonesboro, Ark., April 13, 1896, James Roland Allyn, brother to

began to get worse and died.

for two days.

The suit brought by Vienna Klontz, the widow of D. A. Klontz, against the South-ern Railway Company for \$25,000 on account

"House of Representatives, U.S., Washington, D. C., February 19, 1896.—I have for several years been acquainted with the medicinal qualities of Paine's celery und, and can enthusiastically inorse it as a specific in many cases for which its use is recommended by its pro-H. HENRY POWERS,
"First District Verment."

By far the best use that any fired er ailing person can make of these precious spring days is to purify their blood and regulate their nerves with Paine's celery compound. It is plain to any observant person that the best remedy for neuralgia, persistent headaches and such like indica-tions of low, nervous vigor, is the one that most rapidly and completely nourishes the worn-out parts. It is not in the power of any other remedy to do the vigorous work of Paine's celery compound bringing it back to an energetic, healthy condition.

The real danger that stares sick people

W. B. SMITH, 132 Hunter St.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

residence on 5-acre lot, in three minutes' walk of depot; magnificent grove, modern

FOR SALE-Nice 2-story 8-room house,

FURNITURE.

FOR RENT-Miscellaneous.

NOTICE.

With Paine's celery compound, returning strength and cheerfulness soon show that one is undoubtedly on the right road to spring remedy known today that never fails to benefit. Get Paine's celery con

dckness and disease, and letting slip these

health-inviting spring days, when every-thing so strongly favors getting well. This

greatest of all spring remedies is doing

an astonishing amount of good these days among sick people and those semi-invalids

who are "run down" by the long, trying

The soul and life of sound health is a

well-nourished nervous system. Paine's celery compound repairs the worn, nerv-

the one certain and permanent cure for

and the various manifestations of an un-

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nd exhaustion, rheumatism, neuralgia

ervousness, heart palpitation, loss of

ness, hysteria, nervous debility

winter, or worn out and afflicted by

The real danger that stares sick people on the face is the putting off attending to if you wish to be well.

MONEY TO LOAN.

WEYMAN & CONNORS negotiate loans on city property at 6 and 7 per eent. Money early for parties wanting quick loans. Call in person. No. 825 Equitable Atlanta, Ga., April 1, 1896. I have this day sold my interest in the ON ALL VALUABLES, diamonds, jewelry, coal and wood business known as Smith

THE EASIEST PLACE to borrow money on any security is from the Central Loan and Investment Co., room 316, Electric building, Marietta street. apr2-1m.

RILEY-GRANT COMPANY negotiates loans at 6 and 7 per cent on improved real estate; special facilities for handling large loans. 28 S. Broad street. FOR SALE—Nice 2-story 8-room nouse, will gant repair, taken under foreclosure. Will sell for about half its value. Easy payments on long time. Southern Loan and Banking Co., W. T. Crenshaw, cashier, 13 apr 12 lw

FURNITURE—A full line of furniture, baby carriages, stoves, etc. Special bar-gains offered by Griswold & Martin. 113 and 113 Whitehall street. apr 1—1m

FOR RENT-2d and 3d floors 49 Whitehal Immediate possession. E. C. Crichton, 4 Kiser building. apr 14 ROOMS-WANTED-ROOMS. WANTED ROOMS—By May 1st, four fur-nished rooms for housekeeping; man, wife and two sons, ages 12 and 17 years. Best of references. Arthur Green, 217 East Ohio

street, Indianapolis, Ind.

FOR LEASE—One four story brick stan-dard factory building on W. and A. rail-road. Will improve to meet the wants of permanent lessee. Apply to T. W. Baxter, 216 Norcross building. mr15-im

LOST April 14th Indian bay pony, clipped and branded T. O. on hip and shoulder. Return to Atlanta Boarding, Sale and Livery Co., 61 Loyd, and get reward. apr 18 sat sun \$10 REWARD for whereabouts of Bar-Lock

typewriter No. 6-13660. Was in possession of A. B. Tebbetts, of Cotton States Publish ing Co., and should be in Atlanta. A. F. Land, Jacksonville, Fla. apr 6-4t

TYPEWRITERS AND SUPPLIES. MANY TYPEWRITER improvements in MANY TYPEWRITER improvements interest the novice but excite the scorn of the expert. The No. 6 New Model Remington Standard Typewriter is not built that way. Its improvements are real-real to the experienced operator as well as attractive to the novice. The Remington is a development and not an experiment. Facts prove it. W. T. Crenshaw, 13 East Alabama street.

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PERSONAL.

NOTICE IS hereby given that I have applied for retail liquor license from the city council for No. 38 Decatur street. F. C. South

etc.; liberal and confidential. Henry H. Schaul, 56 Decatur street, near Pryor

T. W. BAXTER & CO. negotiate loans on Atlanta real estate and choice im-proved Georgia farm lands at low rates of interest. Purchase money notes bought and sold. No. 210 Norcross building, At-lanta.

MARIETTA HOME FOR SALE-11- room WITHOUT REAL ESTATE you can borrow what money you want from Atlauta Discount Company. Office, fifth floor Temple Court. Joseph N. Moody, cashier.

> BARKER & HOLLEMAN negotiate loans on Atlanta real estate and Georgia farm lands. Gould building, Atlanta. T. W. BAXTER & CO., 210 Norcross building, have from \$5,000 to \$50,000 to lend upon central property at 6 per cent.

> MONEY ON HAND to lend at 6, 7 and 8 per cent straight on real estate in Fulton and DeKalb counties; also monthly payment loans; good notes and building and loan stock bought. W. A. Foster, No. 2 North Broad street.

TRADERS' COMPANY negotiates loans on real estate; city property to exchange for good farms or timber land; bank stocks for sale. 47 N. Broad street. jan12-ly MONEY LOANED on real estate col-lateral; principals only. Money on hand; terms to suit; foreign money bought and exchange issued on all parts of the world. George S. May. apr 10 tf SOUTHERN Lean and Banking Company

SOUTHERN Lean and Banking Company always has recept to lead in any amount on short or long time, repayable in monthly installments, on real or personal property. Rate of interest dependent on character of security offered. Purchase money rotes bought. We charge no commissions. Edvard S. McCandless, cashier, No. 9 East Alabama street. FOR SALE-Bicycles.

LADIES' \$60 Crawford wheel for \$45; new in December; 25-inch. Miss K. C. McLeod, Speilman Seminary, 2 to 8 p. m.

ROOM FOR RENT. FOR RENT-Rooms second floor, unfur-nished, with or without board. All mod-ern conveniences. 59 West Mitchell street. TWO FRONT ROOMS furnished or 3 unfurnished for house keeping. Pleasant location, 197 Ivy st.

FOR RENT-Furnished Houses. FOR RENT-Nine-room furnished house one mile out, north side. Very cheap. Ap-ply room 514 Temple court. apr 16-3t

FOR SALE-Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE-Pool table and three nice bar-ber chairs in good order. Address M Bridges, 163 Marietta street. CHILIAN NITRATES, the great plant food, at Mark W. Johnson Seed Co., 35 South Pryor street.

We Don't Care

So much about selling the wedding ring as we do the engagement ring. Of course, it will be a diamond and a solitaire, and we have got just what you want—the right thing at the right price. We shall expect you to buy from us; so don't disappoint us.

Julius R. Watts & Co Jewelers, 57 Whiteball. Cash Paid for Old Gold and Silver

HELP WANTED-Male

Building and Loan Association stock in eorgia; loans promptly made. George A. mith, general manager, Exchange bank illding, Macon, Ga. apr 5-20t

HELP WANTED-Female.

WANTED-A first-class cook without fam-ily. Written references must be brought to 17 Kimball street. SITUATIONS WANTED-Female.

FIRST-CLASS cook or chambermaid wan position. Address Isabella Hamilton,

WANTED-Salesman. SALESMEN—One in every state to sell our cigars on credit. Samples, good pay, expenses and exclusive territory to proper applicants. Address P. O. Box 1354, New York city.

MANTED Sciences WANTED-Salesman; salary from start. Brown Bros, nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. april-24t sat sun SALESMEN wanted to sell aluminum goods and watches to merchants. Salar it,200 yearly or large commission. Address Griswold & Co. 88 Warren street, New York

\$60 TO \$150 A MONTH and expenses paid salesmen for cigars. Experience unnec-essary. Little Clerk cigar machine free to each customer. Bishop & Kline, St. Louis. aur 7-30t

BOARDERS WANTED.

BCARDERS WANTED—Several young men can get comfortable rooms and ex-cellent table fare very reasonably at 93 Au-burn avenue, corner Courtland. apr 16-61 burn avenue, corner Courtiand.
SELECT BOARDING accommodations. 217
Capital ave. april 10t

WANTED-Real Estate.

WANTED—Lot or house and lot on Peach-tree street or Ponce de Leon circle. Will pay casa, Address C. R. M., care Consti-tution office. WANT TO purchase small house and lot on north side on installments or lot and seller build house. Address A. B., care

BUSINESS CHANCES. I HAVE an opening for a good live young man; strictly a business proposi-tion. None need apply unless they can give good reference and bond. W. T. B., care Constitution.

A NICE LITTLE drug store for sale or exchange; will sell at a great bargain-Address "Drugs," care Constitution. apri6-3t-fri sat sun

Address Brigs, tare constitution.

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NEWSPAPER MEN all over America
know of the "Big Six." which was at one
period a power in politics in New York
city. But some of them perhaps are not
aware what a power a certain very different and more attractive "Bix Six" is at
this time in business as well as politics.
The "Big Six" now referred to is the new
model Remington Standard Typewriter. All
of the Remington typewriters have been
good—very good. The new model now specially offered is "Number Six." This figure
must not be supposed to express the number of its qualities, however. If a number
were intended to express its separate virtues, "600" would have to be used rather
than "6." For how could we get along
without the multiple usefulness of good
typewriters? Speaking of politics the managers of political campaigns know how uttypewriters? Speaking of politics the managers of political campaigns know how utterly at sea they would be if they could not use the typewriter in conducting the war. The man of business knows how handicapped he'd be if he had to do all his correspondence by hand. But when it comes to newspaper men and publishers, how can a single one of them do without such an aid as the latest Remington?

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LADIES:—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond brand) are the best. Safe, reliable, take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars. "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. All druggists. Chichester Chemical Company, Philadelphia, Pamay 26-20t mon thu sat su.

MONEY can always be had on Good notes and collaterals. Checks and Drafts on city and out-of-town Banks cashed after regular banking hours. TOLLESON'S BANK, 21 and 21, SECOND FLOOR INMAN BUILDING, ATLANTA. GA.

FOR RENT. On lease of one to five years to an approved tenant the Gordon school building on Edgewood avenue, containing three stories and dry basement with entrance from street, floor space measuring about 240x480 feet. Very central and desirably located, well adapted for business, college, hotel or manufacturing purposes. Heated by steam and lighted by gas and electricity. For price and further particulars address P. O. box 83, city.

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By C. H. Girardeau, 8 East Wall St., h., 11 Garnett st...h., 104 Formwalt st...h., 105 Formwalt st...h., 106 Trinity ave...h., 131 Auburn ave., newly papered 1 painted....

For Sale by C. B. Howard Handsome home on Peachtree; desirable lots on Linden avenue; vacant lot on Ponce de Leon; house and lot on Fort, cheap; small farm for exchange for city property.

FOR RENT

By John J. Woodside, the Renting Agent, 50 N. Broad, corner Walton. 73 Williams.

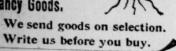
For Rent

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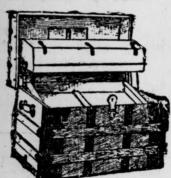
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JAIL PLANS WANTED

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WORK SOON TO BE COMMENCED

As Soon as the New Plans Can Be Decided Upon-Work To Begin on the Butler Street Lot.

The board of county commissioners has advertised for competitive plans and specifications for the new county jail, which is to be erected as soon as bids and estimates can be received from the architects and builders of the country.

Since the determination of the board to change the location of the prison from Pryor street to South Butler street, all arrangements have been completed for the structure and there is nothing that can cause delay but the plans for the new building.

The original plans, which were made by Architect Grant Wilkins, will not be used for the new site, as they were drawn especially for the lot adjoining the courtouse, and would not be suitable for the lot to be purchased on Butler street. When the change of sites was made, the plans were also necessarily changed, and it is for the purpose of securing other plans adapted for the present site that the board is now advertising.

The new site is situated on the property

on which was located the Eclectic college. but the building which has stood for many years on the lot will be torn away before the present month has passed and the lot will be turned over to the commis-sioners free of any buildings. The lot has a frontage of 105 feet on Butler street, and runs back to a depth of 250 feet, and will probably be entirely covered by the

This competition for plans will close on Many 16th, at noon, and no plans receive ed later than this date will be examined by the board. Some of the largest jail builders in the United States are now making drawings, and it is expected that several plans will be submitted in a few days. The entire matter will be brought to the attention of the county board at the next meeting on the first Wednesday in May, and the plans will be examined and accepted at a called meeting, which is to he held for the especial purpose, just af-ter the competition closes.

Investigating the Titles. When the change of sites was made at he last meeting of the board, the commit-

the last meeting of the board, the committee on public buildings and works was authorized to purchase the property on Butler street, according to the terms of the option held by the county.

County Attorney L. Z. Rosser was also instructed to make an abstract of the titles, which was to be done be ore the deal was to be closed. Attorney Rosser has been working on the titles, but on account of the rush of other matters which has claimed his attention as attorney for the county, the work has not been completed, but will be in a few days.

As soon as the titles are found to be perfect, the trade will be closed, and Mr. Zach Martin, the owner of the property, will be given a check for the full value of his property. The option was given the county several months ago, and provided for the purchase of the lot at the sum of \$12,750.

To Be a Modern Prison.

"It is the intention of the committee," said Chairman Forrest Adair yesterday, "to make the new jail both a modern and a model prison, and to this end we have asked all the architects of the United States to make drawings for the building.

"The lot is admirably situated for the purposes for which it will be used, and we could not have made a better selection. I think. The jail will be located just about half-way between the courthouse and the police station; will be in a place where there are but few residences, and I do not believe will damage anybody or their property. The county has been fortunate in making the selection, and with the exception of a few, there have been no protests to amount to anything."

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BUILDING CONTINUES.

Inspector Pitman Was Kept Busy Yesterday. Building is still on a boom and the build-ng inspector granted about five permits resterday and the buildings for which they were granted will cost about \$3,000 all to-

Application will be filed today for a twostory brick building to be erected on Madison avenue, opposite Nelson street. Grading for the foundation has already commenced. When completed this building will be used for a broom and bucket factory and will cost between \$5,000 and

The building inspector made two cases against builders yesterday for starting work on buildings before obtaining per-mits. Both are old offenders and are thoroughly familiar with the laws that govern buildings to be erected in the city. A number of chimneys and flues were condemned and altogether the day was not at all dull.

Dealers who claim that their preparations are "as good as Hood's Sarsaparilla," by so doing admit that Hood's is the standard and possesses peculiar merit which they try in vain to reach.

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It has been the constant aim of the Bloodworth Shoe Co. to introduce new features that would prove a benefit to their customers. On this line they give free shines to wearers of their shoes, and they have lately arranged to half-sole free all shoes worth \$5\$ or more bought since March 1st. They have also announced that they will give away a fine bicycle as a prize to the boy or girl receiving the largest number of votes at their store. The ladles will be interested to learn that the Bloodworth Shoe Co, have the exclusive sale in this city for Edwin C. Burt's fine shoes. A special feature is made of youths, misses' and children's shoes. A complete line of such shoes has long been needed in Atlanta. in Atlanta.

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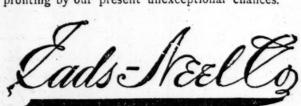
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, North-ern District of Georgia.—E. B. Stahlman, Receiver of Western and Atlantic Rail-road, complainant, and W. T. Akers, G. W. Akers and J. K. P. Akers, constitut-ing the former firm of Akers Bros., and Empire Milling Company, defendants. In equity.

The President of the United States to G. The President of the United States to G. W. Akers—For certain causes offered before the judges of the circuit court of the United States for the northern district of Georgia, in equity, you are hereby commanded and strictly enjoined, that, laying all other matters aside, and notwithstanding any other excuse, you personally be and appear at the clerk's office of the said ing any other excuse, you personally be and appear at the clerk's office of the said court, in the city of Atlanta, at rules, to be had on the first Monday in May, 1896, next, to answer to those things which shall then and there be objected to you by the bill of complaint of E. B. Stahlman, receiver of the Western and Atlantic railroad, and to do further, and receive what the said court shall have considered in this behalf, and this you may in no wise omit, under penalty of five hundred dollars.

Witness the Honorable MelvilleW. Fuller, chief justice of the supreme court of the United States, this 28th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninetv-six.

O. C. FULLER, Clerk.

Memorandum.—The defendant is required to enter his appearance or to plead, answer or demur in the suit above stated, in the clerk's office, on or before the day at which this writ of subpoena is returnable, otherwise the bill may be taken pro confesso.

O. C. FULLER, Clerk.

In the circuit court of the United States.

mch 28-61 sat.

In the circuit court of the United States for the northern district of Georgia. In equity. E. B. Stahlman, receiver, vs. W. T. Akers, G. W. Akers, J. K. P. Akers, G. Stahlman, receiver, vs. W. T. Akers, G. W. Akers, J. K. P. Akers, Bros. and the Empire Milling Company. It appearing that the whereabouts of G. W. Akers being unknown, and personal service upon him is impracticable, it is ordered that service be perfected as to him by publication of this order, together with a subpoena issuing from this court, once a week for six consecutive weeks, ordering him to appear, plead, answer, or demur, by the first Monday in May, 1896, and that due proof of such publication of this order be made.

made.
This March 26, 1896.
WILLIAM T. NEWMAN,
mch 28-6t sat.
United States Judge.

mch 28-6t sat. United States Judge.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—On the first Tuesdey in May, 1896, between the legal hours of sale, that is between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., before the courthouse door on Peyor street, in Atlanta, said county, we will sell at nublic auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to wit: Eighty-three bonds of the Georgia Granite and Land Improvement Company, for 100 each, 500 shares of the capital stock of said company (theluding 20 shares in J. R. Tolleson's hands); said bonds and stock being the property of Mrs. Lizzie T. Pendleton, having been deposited by her with us as collateral security for her promissory note to us for \$11.54, besides interest, dated October 31st, 1892, and due October 31st, 1893. Said note not having been paid, nor any part thereof, we shall sell said bends and stock as aforesaid in pursuance of the powers given in said note for the purpose of satisfying said debt or as much thereof as possible, reserving the right ourselves as given in said note of bidding at said sale and purchasing the whole or any part of said property at our option.

This April 4, 1896.

J. H. & A. L. JAMES.

April 4, 1896.

STATE OF GEORGIA, Fulton county-STATE OF GEORGIA, Fulton county—By virtue of the powers contained in the last will and testament of Mary Ann Harris, late deceased of Fulton county, Georgia, the undersigned, as executor of the last will and testament of said Mary Ann Harris, deceased, will sell at auction before the courthouse door in the city of Atlanta, said county, on the first Tuesday in May, 1895, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, a one-half undivided interest in and to all that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, in land lot No. 51, in the 14th district of said county; fronting on north side of East Harris street between Butler and Fort streets, forty-seven (47) feet, more or less, and extending back north, same width as front, two hundred (200) feet to a street; being the lands deeded by F. P. Rice to Samuel Harris, the husband of said Mary Ann Harris, deceased, on the 23d day of February, 1890, will be sold as the property of the said Mary Ann Harris, late of said county, deceased.

ounty, deceased.

ALONZO F. HERNDON,
This April 8, 1896.

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